

# MANY DIE IN FLOODS, STORMS

## SUNSHINE MONDAY GREATLY ENJOYED AFTER RAINY WEEK

### ALL CREEKS IN NAVARRO COUNTY REACHED FLOOD STAGES SUNDAY

Corsicana and Navarro county enjoyed its first almost full day of sunshine Monday, enjoyed the heat, and confined most of the conversational efforts to checking up on present and past high water marks at creeks in all parts of the area continued at flood stage after the almost continuous rains of the past several days.

Rainfall in Corsicana for the 24 hour period ending at 7 a. m. Monday was 1.23 inches, bringing the total for the month to 9.15 inches, and for the year to 21.11 inches. The total rainfall for 1934 was only 28.46 compared to the average for a ten-year period of 36.7 inches. Corsicana has already received almost five inches more rain through Monday than through the whole first five months of last year.

**Lake Level Up.**  
City officials reported Monday that about three feet of water was caught in Lake Halbert within the past few days, bringing the level of the lake to within twelve inches of the top of the spillway, the highest stage of the municipal water supply in several years. Before the recent series of rains, the officials had reported the water about four feet below the spillway. Some water was still trickling off the watershed Monday.

Because of the wide spread of the water, city officials were anticipating the early necessity of "cutting the lake" to prevent the "run-over" of water, usually resulting from decaying vegetation in the newly submerged sections.

Creeks in all parts of the county are at flood stage, some of them attaining moderate heights. Briar Creek was out of banks and over the road to Roane from Saturday to Sunday afternoon for the first time in several years. Chambers and Richland creeks were reported at unusual heights and showing little tendency to descend.

**Watching Crossings.**  
Crews of highway department and railway workmen were watching the crossings over Chambers Creek north of Corsicana Monday fighting drifts and attempting to keep the flood damage to a minimum. It was feared that a steel bridge spanning Chambers between Rice and Enhouse had been swept down as Rice residents reported Monday that it had been leaning prior to the last big rise and big drifts were

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## Tulane Student Acquitted Charge Killing Father

### JENA, La., May 20.—(P)—Louis Hamilton, 20, today made plans to resume his studies in the medical division of the Tulane university at New Orleans, following his acquittal along with two other Jena youths of a murder charge in the death two years ago of Hamilton's father, Dr. Fred Hamilton, former LaSalle parish coroner.

The three were freed of the murder charge by a LaSalle jury in district court here just 44 minutes after Judge Wiley R. Jones completed his charge, which came at the end of a week's trial. The state unsuccessfully sought to prove Hamilton, Harmon Sheppard and Floyd Miller set fire to Dr. Hamilton's combination office-residence June 10, 1933, in an effort to collect his insurance. The jury received the case at 11:28 p. m. Saturday and brought in the verdict ten minutes after midnight. The three were charged jointly.

## JUDGE R. L. BATTS, PROMINENT MEMBER TEXAS BAR, DIES

### WAS FORMER U. S. APPEALS COURT JUDGE AND UNIVERSITY REGENTS CHAIRMAN

AUSTIN, Texas, May 20.—(P)—The Texas bar prepared today to pay final tribute to one of its most distinguished members, R. L. Batts of Austin, former judge of the United States circuit court of appeals who died unexpectedly yesterday following a heart attack. He was 70 years old.

In his half century of service as a lawyer, Judge Batts had participated in many noteworthy cases. He served six years on the board of regents of the University of Texas and the latter part of his term was chairman. He declined an appointment to a second term.

Judge Batts appeared in good health when stricken at the family residence, Mrs. Batts said, when he died about 15 minutes after the heart attack.

Funeral services were set for 5:30 p. m. today at the residence with the Rev. W. H. Meyers, Episcopal minister, officiating and Dr. J. E. Wharey of the University of Texas faculty assisting. Judge Batts was born in Bastrop, November 1, 1864 and graduated in law from the University of Texas in 1886. He was married in 1889 to Harriett Fiquet Back of Austin.

He served as assistant attorney

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## BONUS BILL BACKERS OFFER ARGUMENT FOR MEASURE ON MONDAY

### TWELVE-PAGE DOCUMENT PRESENTED TO PRESIDENT; DRIVE ON SENATORS

WASHINGTON, May 20.—(P)—In an effort to forestall a certain presidential veto, the house bonus bill steering committee today presented to President Roosevelt a 12-page argument for the Patman currency inflation bonus bill. Mr. Roosevelt gave no indication of any change in his determination to reject the measure as forcibly as possible.

Instead, the chief executive set aside the afternoon to put the finishing touches on his veto message.

Representative Patman (D-Tex.), author of the bill, accompanied the steering committee to the White House and outlined the points in the mimeographed statement left with the president.

It began with the declaration that two points could be shown: "1. That each veteran who holds an adjusted service certificate is entitled to an amount at this time equivalent to the full face or maturity value of the certificate, although it is payable January 1, 1945.

"2. That such payment can be made without detriment to the country and without impairing in any way a sound monetary system."

**Debt Past Due.**  
The statement continued: "We believe that the country is convinced after a thorough understanding of the question

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## RENTAL CHECKS TO PUT MUCH MONEY IN CIRCULATION SOON

### NEARLY TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED HERE

Almost four thousand checks representing about 60 per cent of the first rental payments to Navarro county cotton producers on their 1934 contract, will be distributed by local cotton committee officials over the week end and preparations for the earliest possible distribution were started immediately.

The more than a score of registered packages received from the department of agriculture's disbursing department at Washington contained a total of 3907 vouchers amounting to \$179,125, bringing the total benefits for Navarro county under the Agricultural Adjustment Administration program during the past 30 months to approximately \$2,000,000. Certificates of acceptance for each of the vouchers were received a few days ago.

With a large clerical staff work-

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## BATTLE ON MOTION PICTURE PLANE IS CRASH AFTERMATH

### STUNTING PLANE CAUSED DISASTER TO LARGEST LAND PLANE IN WORLD

By JOHN LLOYD  
(Associated Press Foreign Staff).

MOSCOW, May 20.—(P)—A desperate battle in a motion picture plane accompanying the Maxim Gorky at the time of Saturday's disaster, was disclosed today as having almost caused a second crash.

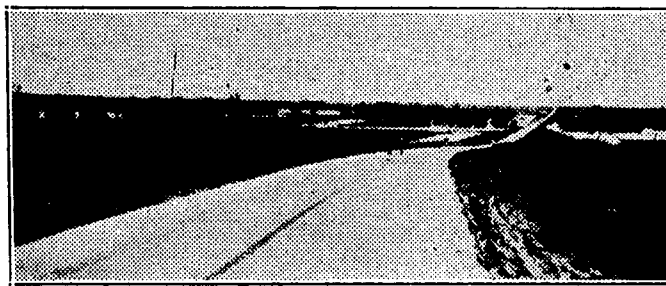
The pilot of the smaller plane, T. E. Bushkin, said that after a stunting aircraft had crashed into the Gorky, world's largest land plane, a motion picture operator lost his head, leaped upon him and attempted to strangle him. "I went to the controls," he said, "I lost command of my ship, it went into a spin, and there was nothing for me to do but to strike the pilot. His treatment finally calmed him and he slumped into his seat, remaining still until I managed to get out of the spin and land."

The operator filmed the crash in which 49 people lost their lives, before he became panicky-stricken, but no pictures of the disaster have been published. The official motion picture agency declined to say whether it had obtained any pictures.

Rybuskin said he heard Ivan Mikhaeff, one of the Gorky pilots, criticize the administration for

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## CREEKS OF COUNTY ON RAMPAGE



Definite ideas of the extreme height of Navarro County's usually somnolent watercourses as a result of the recent continuous heavy rains may be secured by these views of streams within a few miles of Corsicana snapped by a staff photographer for the Corsicana Daily Sun. Richland Creek was reported at its highest stage in many years south of Corsicana, and almost the same condition existed on Chambers, Briar, and other streams. Post Oak Creek inside the city limits reached its highest levels in many years during the past few days.

## BODY OF MISSING NEW YORK GIRL IS FOUND NEAR HOME

### BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN VICTIM LANDSLIDE IN CAVE DUG WITH PLAYMATES

By PAT McGRADY  
(Associated Press Staff Writer).

NEW YORK, May 20.—(P)—Eight-year-old Shirley Evans, missing from her home in Jackson Heights, Queens, since last Friday, was found dead today 250 yards from her home. Her body was buried beneath a ton of earth in a cave she and playmates had dug in an excavation in the rear of her home.

District Attorney Charles P. Sullivan of Queens county said the girl in all likelihood died in a landslide. He said, however, search for a possible kidnaper and assailant will continue.

The discovery ended a two-day search by police, Boy Scouts and neighbors, who beat nearby swamp lands and reed grown lots in a fear the child had been slain.

The body was uncovered after ten minutes digging after a neighbor, Taylor Putney, Jr., had recalled

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## Senators Leave Chamber While Chavez Sworn In

WASHINGTON, May 20.—(P)—Five members of the senate liberal bloc walked out of the chamber today as Dennis Chavez, New Mexico Democrat, was administered the oath as successor to the late Bronson Cutting, Republican.

As the 44-year-old Chavez, a former member of the house, went to the oath-taking ceremony, Senator Hatch (D-N. M.), Senator Johnson of California, Norris of Nebraska, and Nye of North Dakota, Republican Independents, and Shipstead, Farmer-Labor, of Minnesota, and Lo Follette, Progressive, of Wisconsin, walked out of the chamber.

They returned after Vice President Garner administered the oath to Chavez.

Their action was interpreted by observers as a protest against the appointment of Chavez, but there was no immediate formal explanation.

Several of the group openly had criticized the administration for

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## ESCAPED CONVICTS KIDNAP HUNTSVILLE YOUTH; DISAPPEAR

### TRAIL OF TWO FUGITIVES AND VICTIM LOST AFTER REACHING CROCKETT

HUNTSVILLE, May 20.—(P)—Two escaped convicts from the Darrington prison farm, Sandy Point today kidnaped George Saunders, 21, of Huntsville and fled in his automobile to Crockett, where their trail was lost.

The convicts, J. E. Romines from Lynn county, and Virgil Long from Dallas county, escaped last night and fled to Houston in a stolen automobile.

They came to Huntsville early today and abducted an aged man who was sleeping beside his automobile on a highway. After attempting to flee in the man's car, the convicts were thwarted by a police officer when the gasoline supply became exhausted.

The aged man, whose name was not available, was released after numerous threats he told Capt. Marcus Heath, of the Gore prison farm, where he reported his abduction.

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## Three Hundred Families Driven Out by Flood

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 20.—(P)—Three hundred families were ordered from their homes in the Oklahoma City lowlands today by City Manager O. M. Mosier as a 16-foot wall of water was reported sweeping toward the city on the Canadian river.

The families will be cared for in a tent community to be established by city, state and federal authorities in a city park.

Mosier issued the order after he was advised the flood waters will reach Oklahoma City late today.

As the evacuation order was issued by Mosier, searchers in the Altus area found the bodies of two more victims of Saturday's flood, bringing the list of known dead in that area to five. Two persons still were missing.

A body identified as that of Joy McAlpine, 10, was found today at the edge of Turkey creek, about a mile and a half from

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## TWO MILLIONS TO LOSE JOBS IF NRA IS NOT EXTENDED

### RICHBERG TESTIFIED BEFORE HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, May 20.—(P)—A move to rally business men here Wednesday in support of extension of NRA was labeled in the senate today by Senator Nye (R-ND) an attempt to "maintain code and NRA bureaucrats firmly entrenched to their payrolls and to maintain big business in the saddle."

At the same time Senator Borah (R-Id.) another critic of the recovery law, turned down an invitation to attend the rally, with a statement that he thought it would be better for him to remain in the senate than to "listen to manufacturing evidence to support price-fixing."

These developments came after Donald R. Richberg, chairman of the recovery agency, has estimated to the house ways and means committee that 2,000,000 wage earners would be thrown on relief and that "grave industrial troubles" probably would follow if NRA were allowed to expire.

Nye described the rally as "an organized and well-financed drive upon the part of NRA officers' holders to impose their bill upon congress in the matter of extension of NRA."

Borah Caustic, "These so-called representatives of business are coming to Washington to demand the right to fix their own prices for the term of two years upon

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## FOUR PHYSICIANS PLEAD GUILTY TO NARCOTIC CHARGE

### SENTENCES DEFERRED BY JUDGE WILSON AT OPENING LUBBOCK COURT

LUBBOCK, May 20.—(P)—Four physicians, Dr. W. C. Wayland, and Dr. W. E. Redford of Plainview, Dr. James A. Green of Lubbock and Dr. W. Houghton of Floydada, pleaded guilty in federal court here today to charges of violation of the Harrison anti-narcotic act.

Federal Judge James C. Wilson delayed pronouncement of sentences in each case. United States District Attorney Clyde O. Eastus said the reputation of each defendant had been good and recommended leniency.

The physicians were excused without bond pending formal passing of sentences.

The trials were the first of 10 narcotic cases scheduled for this term of court.

Sheriff W. F. Cato of Garza county and three other residents of Post were scheduled to face federal trial Thursday on an indictment.

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## G-MEN AND NEW YORK POLICE SLEUTHS IN WAR ON GANGSTERS

### INCOME TAX AND NEW STATE LAW WILL BE PRINCIPAL WEAPONS USED

NEW YORK, May 20.—(P)—Federal investigators and crack police department sleuths plunged today into a war on the city's gangsters and racketeers, with income tax statutes and the state's new public enemy law as their principal weapons.

Preparations for the double drive to smash gang-guided crime were disclosed with the making public of a police directory of gangdom—a sort of who's who in the rackets.

This anti-social register, drawn from police data, includes the names of alleged leaders and underlings of racketeering in poultry, produce, prostitution, laundry business, and gambling, including the numbers game.

City authorities said they were eager to test the new Brownell law which enables them to harass gangsters as suspicious persons, with the prisoners required to prove they were not conspiring for an unlawful purpose.

A maximum of six months' imprisonment or two years' probation is the penalty.

Ten special treasury agents, who have been working with the police undercover squad for two weeks, are seeking to prosecute racketeers on tax evasion charges.

## New Orleans and Baton Rouge Face Shortage of Gas

### BATON ROUGE, La., May 20.—(P)—The cities of New Orleans and Baton Rouge were today threatened by an indefinite interruption of gas service because of the breaking of four 12-inch mains near Jackson, La., supplying them with gas from a North Louisiana field.

Baton Rouge was quickly affected by the break which was caused by the washing out of the mains where they crossed Thompson's creek.

Every industry and commercial establishment using gas in the state capital was completely or partially paralyzed and cold meals were eaten in hundreds of homes.

The Baton Rouge daily newspaper, the State Times, could not be published because of the gas failure. The United Gas Company, which operates the pipeline bringing the gas down to the southern part of the state from near Monroe, said the break could hardly be fixed to restore service before late today.

## ETHIOPIA EMPEROR APPEALS TO LEAGUE TO PACIFY ITALY

### AFRICAN POTENTATE CALLS FOR ACTION TO STOP MILITARY PREPARATIONS

By JOSEPH E. SHARKEY  
(Associated Press Foreign Staff)

GENEVA, May 20.—(P)—Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia today sent a personal telegram to the League of Nations asking it to stop Italy's military preparations in northeast Africa.

The emperor requested that the league decide that unless Italy agrees that arbitrators can pronounce upon all incidents between Ethiopia and Italy which have occurred since Nov. 23, 1934, the league itself take up the dispute and make a full inquiry on the basis of Article XV of the League of Nations covenant which provides for the settling of disputes between nations.

The "King of Kings" accused Italy of evading her international obligations and of inducing Ethiopia, by threats, to pay reparations and apologize for offenses which Ethiopia never committed.

GENEVA, May 20.—(P)—The Italo-Ethiopian dispute and projects for bringing Germany into a European peace system dominated the League of Nations circles today as the council met for what appears certain to be a period of intense activity.

The fact that Maxim Litvinoff, soviet commissar for foreign affairs, is presiding at the sessions

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Within six years, began to overflow at Arkansas City, Ark.

In a storm which cut across Southeastern Alabama, at least two persons were killed and an undetermined number near Midland City.

River banks generally were taking back quieted flood waters from an estimated \$5,000,000 worth of damage today, but the hunt for drowned Texas and Oklahoma flood victims continued as the storm toll stood at 17 dead and at least four missing.

Sunshine replaced rain as flood waters started a general decline, but Oklahoma City faced a new menace when 300 families were ordered from lowland homes to escape a reported 16-foot wall of water sweeping down the Canadian river.

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## HITLER SEEKING WAY OUT OF DILEMMA CAUSED BY FOREIGN POLICY; BLOCKED BY FRANCE

### FRANCE IS QUIETLY REINFORCING NAVY NORTH SEA SECTOR

### 2ND SQUADRON STRENGTH MORE THAN DOUBLE AS REICH ARMS

By CHARLES FOLTZ  
(Copyright, 1935, By Associated Press.)

PARIS, May 20.—France was reliably reported today to be reinforcing her sea frontiers as well as her outposts on land and to be quietly moving her naval strength toward the North Sea from the Mediterranean.

The move corresponds with France's action in transferring thousands of troops from the Italian frontier to her fortifications on the German border after the reich announced her rearmament policy and Franco-Italian friendship was sealed in the Rome accord.

Within the past six months, the navy's second squadron, which is responsible for protection of the coast from the North Sea to the Gulf of Gasconne, has been more than doubled.

There are indications that the strength of the squadron will be still further augmented after the naval maneuvers off Morocco the first two weeks in June.

Last fall France's west coast fleet consisted of one cruiser, two divisions of destroyers and a squadron of submarines. Since November there have been added one battleship, two new destroyers and four torpedo boats.

In addition 25 submarines have been returned to the fleet, including one which is the largest in the world.

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## SOME ADMINISTRATION LEADERS PREDICT SURPRISING REVIVAL OF BONUS AFTER VETO IS SUSTAINED

## FIRST SESSION OF KIWANIS CLUBS HELD SAN ANTONIO TODAY

### PRESIDENT CARRINGTON PLEADS FOR INDIVIDUAL FREEDOM IN ADDRESS

SAN ANTONIO, May 20.—(P)—The orderly principles of social and economic integrity have never failed us in the past nor shall they fail us now, Dr. William J. Carrington of Atlantic City, N. J., told the first general session of the 19th annual convention of Kiwanis International here today.

Dr. Carrington, president of Kiwanis International, made remarks on the preservation of individual freedom, religion, democracy, fidelity and hope, while at the same time attacking privileged lobbies, corrupt taxes and overlapping governmental agencies.

Although warning against visionary politicians with unsound theories, he said that the role of Kiwanis is educational—to throw light on unsound principles and demagoguery, but that the organization should refrain from entering politics in an active way.

"The day Kiwanis enters politics, that day Kiwanis is dead," he said. "Thousands of visitors and delegates from all states in the union and provinces of Canada were here for the convention."

Special trains and automobiles brought the delegations, some of them with their own bands, from every direction.

Gov. James V. Alford was here yesterday to welcome visitors to the first convention of national scope held in Texas since he be-

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By CLARENCE M. WRIGHT

(Associated Press Staff Writer.)  
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WASHINGTON, May 20.—(P)—Certain administration leaders in congress predicted today that the bonus issue would be resurrected in swift and surprising fashion after the defeat of the inflationary Patman bill—a defeat which the leaders call a mathematical certainty.

They claimed 40 or 41 votes in the senate to sustain the measure which President Roosevelt is to deliver in person against the Patman bill, most likely on Wednesday. But their more surprising news was this:

One administration chief, who is represented as thinking it would be good politics for the bonus to be paid this year, has made another poll of his own. He reported that 72 senators would support a plan to push through a bonus bill—in the form of a rider on another measure—giving the president a choice of three ways of paying the adjusted service certificates' pending business today.

Since only two-thirds are necessary to override a veto and the senate is at full strength—consists only 98 men—such a plan would go through to enactment if 72 senators stuck to it to the end and the house concurred.

**Proposed Rider.**  
The proposed rider would direct that the bonus be paid. It would, however, leave to the president the choice between issuing currency, borrowing or taking the money out of his \$4,880,000,000 public works fund.

Senator Clark (D-Mo.) already has disclosed his intention to offer such a rider on the naval appropriations bill, which was the senate's pending business today.

But since the senate ordinarily takes little time on appropriations bills, and under the present schedule a vote on the Patman veto

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## IMMEDIATE VETO IS PROMISED FOLLOWING PRESIDENTIAL VETO

WEDNESDAY TENTATIVELY SET FOR PRESIDENT TO MEET JOINT SESSION

By NATHAN ROBERTSON Associated Press Staff Writer.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—(P)—Patman bonus bill leaders in congress agreed today to vote immediately, without debate, on whether to override President Roosevelt's veto after the chief executive delivered his message in person probably next Wednesday.

At the same time they conceded they did not have the votes to override the veto in the senate, but still expressed hope of a swing that would put the inflationary measure over despite the President's objections.

The decision was reached at a conference of the bill's friends in the office of Senator Thomas (D-Ola.), at which strategy was discussed and votes canvassed. After the conference, Thomas announced the bonus forces would call for an immediate vote in the house when the President concluded his veto message. If the veto is overridden, it will then go to the senate, where Thomas said they would be ready for a vote, also without debate, provided all their supporters were on hand.

House leaders decided against Monday for a joint session of the senate and house to receive the veto message on the ground there was insufficient time to make preparations for receiving the chief executive.

A memorial service for members who have died the past year is to be held Tuesday. Leaders said Wednesday was the probable date.

## ALLRED VETOED TRIO BILLS FRIDAY; MANY OTHERS WERE SIGNED

VETOED BILL INTENDED TO OPEN CERTAIN GULF WATER TO SEINING

AUSTIN, May 17.—(P)—Governor Allred vetoed today three bills passed by the legislature, one intended to open certain gulf coast waters to seining and seining, and signed numerous others.

Indefinite boundary descriptions in the fishing bill, Governor Allred said the game, fish and oyster commission chairman and executive secretary advised him to make enforcement of general laws difficult. Furthermore, he said, it would result in destroying the fish supply, an attraction of the area for tourists, and support for commercial hook and pole fishermen. Waters of Nueces, Aransas and Refugio counties would have been affected.

The governor signed house bill 40 further relating to absentee balloting by requiring filing of the ballot before a notary public, and vetoed house bill 70 which he said was on the same subject and would create confusion in the election process. He provided facilities for taking the polls of ill, aged or decrepit persons.

Bills signed included: (HB 238) Requiring persons under age living outside cities of 10,000 population or more to obtain exemption certificates to vote.

(HB 200) Requiring political advertising to be signed by a responsible person.

(SB 84) Appropriating \$156,500 additional emergency needs of eleemosynary institutions.

(HB 367) Creating the Lower Rio Grande Flood Control District as conservation and reclamation district.

(SB 509) Permitting conservation and reclamation districts to refund bonds.

(HB 83) Authorizing political subdivisions to sell obligations for reconstruction finance corporation at less than par.

(SB 528) Providing an additional assistant district attorney for the 53rd district in Travis county.

(HB 302) Authorizing collection of school taxes by the consolidated tax assessor-collector.

(HB 338) Requiring motions for new trials to be made within two days after conviction.

(HB 104) Authorizing school trustees to accept donations or bequests for teachers retirement funds (especially for Galveston).

(HB 688) Governing the use of pasture or grazing land owned by two or more parties but under one fence.

(SB 42) Providing that liens on real estate under judgments shall continue during the life of the judgment.

(HB 896) Authorizing depositories of public funds to pledge Home Owners Loan corporation bonds as security.

(HB 999) Validating \$794,500 refunding bonds of Hidalgo county water control and improvement district No. 7.

(SB 523) Extending from three to four years the time within which a court may continue a corporation receivership.

## Annual East Texas Fiddlers Convention

Be Held at Athens

ATHENS, May 20.—Scores of fiddlers and hundreds of lovers of old time fiddle tunes are expected in Athens, May 31st, when the Fourth Annual East Texas Fiddlers Convention will be held under the auspices of the Athens Chamber of Commerce. Ten big cash prizes will be offered and all features of the day's program will be free to the public. Several prominent state officials are expected to attend.

Billed as "bigger and better" than any of the previous years, the convention is expected to attract the largest attendance since the opening convention in 1932.

Playing in string bands, the competing fiddlers will play both

## FOURTEEN SPEED RECORDS ARE MARKED UP FOR TWIN-MOTORED TRANSPORT PLANE THURSDAY

METEORIC CAREER DONALD RICHBERG RUMORED NEAR END

CHAIRMAN OF RECOVERY BOARD REPORTED PLANNING QUIT POSITION

WASHINGTON, May 17.—(P)—One of the most meteoric of New Deal careers was declared today to be nearing a close. Informal sources said that under an understanding reached some time ago Donald R. Richberg is to step out of the government and return to private law practice when the present NRA expires June 18.

The informants, declining to be quoted, said Richberg, who has expressed a desire to return to private life, would remain in his post as chairman of the Blue Eagle recovery board only long enough to make arrangements for NRA now being studied in congress.

If the new NRA is set up by June 18, it was said, Richberg will not head it. If the new law should not be passed by that date, the expiration of the present act would put Richberg's post and the whole NRA set-up out of legal existence.

Besides Richberg, other NRA executives also are expected to be contemplating early retirement.

Views at Variance

Only yesterday Senator Barkley (D-Ky.) read to the senate a letter from Richberg saying he had accepted his post only temporarily and wanted to go back to private life. Inquiry in some authoritative circles last night elicited the word that there was no prospect of his early retirement. Today, however, other circles said such a step was imminent.

Richberg's rise, during which he survived several storms, was rapid. A big deal and turn to music for relaxation, he was noted as a lawyer for the railroad brotherhoods in Chicago before he came to Washington as counsel for the recovery administration under Hugh Johnson.

Johnson and he fell out while planning a reorganization of the agency, and after Johnson retired they exchanged barbs. Johnson called the blue eagle an "dead as a do" and Richberg said Johnson was a "popular humorist."

Richberg's new deal star continued in the ascent, however, and after being elevated to the post of director of the emergency council, he became widely known as President Roosevelt's No. 1 assistant. Some commentators called his distaste for Johnson "a distant president."

With the recent setup of the work-relief organization, Richberg left his emergency council position to devote all his time to NRA.

Bitterness against Richberg among American Federation of Labor leaders broke out into a renewed fight when he was named to head the new work-relief organization. John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, said he "stabbed a knife into labor's heart." Richberg replied he acted for the best interests of the country as a whole.

Attacks Suddenly Cease

Then suddenly, the attacks ceased. Philip Murray, vice-president of the U. M. W., was appointed to the recovery board with Richberg. There were many reports, never officially confirmed, that an understanding had been reached, and that it might involve administration support, or tacit—for the Wagner Labor Relations bill, advocated by the A. F. of L.

All sides also were given to understand, it is now said, that Richberg was to retire from the government.

The Wagner bill passed the senate yesterday, 63 to 12, with its supporters saying that President Roosevelt wants it enacted. The President said the other day that he has not had time to read it.

## Future of NRA Is Still In Doubt

WASHINGTON, May 17.—(P)—Some senators predicted today that if the house passes the seven-point NRA program approved by President Roosevelt and Donald R. Richberg yesterday no blue eagle law will be on the books when the present one expires June 18.

They said house acceptance of the plan would lead to a prolonged tug-of-war with the senate, which already has voted to trim NRA's sails and extend its life only ten months.

Even the democratic leaders in the senate displayed some apprehension about the possibility of completing new legislation by June 18.

The program agreed upon at the White House called for a two-year extension of NRA and continuation of its jurisdiction over business substantially unaffected by the new law.

The senate-approved measure would make codes apply only to firms doing business across state lines.

modern and old-time tunes.

Thirty-two string bands competed for honors last year when Athens entertained hundreds of visitors from all parts of East Texas.

Any string band in East Texas desiring to enter the contest can do so by writing to the Athens Chamber of Commerce. The prize list this year is one of the most attractive ever offered.

## New Stock - New Store

New Location. CITY BOOK STORE Big Four Book Store Block

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By TOM HAGENBUCH Associated Press Staff Writer

NEW YORK, May 17.—(P)—Fourteen speed records were marked up today for a twin-motored transport plane at the end of a non-stop 3,100-mile flight over a course between Washington, Norfolk, Va., and New York.

The records were set by Daniel W. Tomlinson, former navy flier, and Joseph E. Bartles, flying a PWA Douglas airliner for more than 19 hours. They landed at Floyd Bennett field today at 1:10 a. m., Eastern Standard time.

Tomlinson, one-time member of the navy's famous acrobatic team of Sea Hawks, emerged smiling from the plane, showing little sign of fatigue. His wife, who had spent the entire time at the field following the progress of the flight, rushed to greet him.

The flight, starting from Floyd Bennett field, covered 3,106.6 miles, or 5,000 kilometers.

They covered four laps of a triangular course of 821 miles. The first lap was from Floyd Bennett field, Bolling field, Washington, and Willoughby Spit, Norfolk, Va.

Because of poor flying conditions around Norfolk last night, a fifth lap was abandoned, and the final 621 miles were flown to and from Bolling field and then over a course between Floyd Bennett field, Newark airport and North Beach airport Queens.

Three world records broken by the fliers were:

2,000 kilometers with payloads of 500 kilograms and 1,000 kilograms: 173.638 miles an hour.

5,000 kilometers without a load: 169.031 miles an hour. Former record held by Spain, 130.

Two world records for which none had previously been recorded were:

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1,000 kilometers without a load and with loads of 500 kilograms and 1,000 kilograms: 173.638 miles an hour.

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Officers Installed For Emhouse P.T.A. For Ensuing Year

The Emhouse P.T.A. met at the high school, May 17, for the purpose of installing officers for the ensuing year. The following were installed: Mrs. O. R. Barnett, acting as installing officer.

President, Mrs. C. J. DeLaFosse; first vice-president, Mrs. C. D. Owen; second vice-president, Mrs. Hugh Johnson; third vice-president, Miss Billie Williamson; secretary, Mrs. Billie Estlin; treasurer, Mrs. Clyde Estlin; historian, Miss Lillian Ross; publicity chairman, Mrs. Nick Parrish.

Before the installation a musical program was given, sponsored by Miss Gladys Watson, head of the music department. First on the program was a piano solo by Francis Parrish. This was followed by several songs by the second and third grade pupils.

Mrs. C. D. Owen gave a brief summary of the work of the P.T.A. in the years that have passed. The progress that has been made was very gratifying.

Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, the retiring president, expressed in very appropriate words her thanks and appreciation for the co-operation given her during the year. Mrs. Kuykendall is to be commended for her faithful and unselfish service rendered while in office.

Mrs. DeLaFosse who is now serving in the capacity of president for the third time, in a few well chosen words, urged the regular attendance of each officer as well as the attendance and co-operation of each parent and teacher.

At the conclusion of the meeting, ice cream and cake were served.

## Out of Town Friends And Relatives Attend Funeral of Pioneer

The following out of town friends and relatives attended the funeral of Mr. John D. Story of Angus, held from the First Methodist church here Sunday afternoon, he having been a church and society member of Navarro county for half a century:

Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Asher, of Longview, Mrs. Leora Couch, of Dallas, Mrs. Everett Couch, of El Paso, Miss Elsie Mae Couch of Waxahatchie, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wallace, Mrs. R. Scott Evans, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McCullin and Mr. and Mrs. E. Cone of Minerva, Clint Hightower and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Starks of Dallas.

Miss Mary Trimble of Overton, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sweeney, of Dallas, Mrs. T. B. White of San Antonio, Dr. and Mrs. Fred L. Story, Misses Wynette and Elizabeth Story of Ennis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Story of Rising Star, Rev. and Mrs. M. M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Smith, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Smith and E. A. Smith of Waco.

## Schedule of Senior Class Examinations

Examinations for the seniors of Corsicana high school began this (Monday) morning at 9 o'clock, and will end Wednesday. The schedule will be run with first period classes Monday morning at 9, second period classes Monday afternoon at one, third period classes Tuesday morning at 9, and continuing through the schedule at the hours named.

## New Stock - New Store

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## FLOODS

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City Manager O. M. Mosier, ordered the families removed to a tent camp when reports said the water would strike the section late today.

Red Cross workers and other relief agencies rushed into Texas' stricken areas as rehabilitation work lagged because of standing water and occasional rains.

Texas' toll reached 11 when John Finke, 40, Live Oak farmer, was drowned when his horse stumbled while crossing a creek and became entangled in the swimming stream. His body was recovered.

Forty-five searchers started combing the Red River bank below the Burk Burnett, Texas, concrete bridge for two more victims of Saturday night's tragedy when an automobile plunged from the crumbling concrete span. Two were drowned and a third rescued.

Two More Bodies Recovered.

"Two more bodies were recovered in the Altus, Oklahoma, section and the search continued for other bodies. Melvin Hill, a Tulsa youth, drowned yesterday.

Six members of the Red Cross field staff, headed by Albert Evans of St. Louis, director of disaster relief for the mid-western branch, went into stricken free zone, Robert Leoni, Houston, Rusk and Shelby counties. Twisters wrecked the communities Saturday as other sections battled flood waters.

In Houston county alone the damage was more than \$200,000. Heavy rains fell yesterday and the Trinity and Neches rivers surged into fields to add to suffering from the twister which took three lives and in injured scores.

Heavy Gainesville Damage.

Gainesville, swept in sections by flood waters, counted its loss at more than \$100,000. At least 300 homes were damaged or destroyed and property damage was great.

Wheat, which weathered a late freeze, was battered to the ground by the torrents and fences and houses were washed away.

Fifteen thousand acres of De Witt county farm lands were under water as the swollen Guadalupe river, checked at 23 feet above normal at Rockham and 27 feet at Gonzales. It continued to rise slowly. Central Power and Light company dam engineers estimated a 30-foot rise would inundate 100,000 acres of farm land in De Witt county.

The Guadalupe stood 30 feet above normal at Rockham and 27 feet at Gonzales. It continued to rise slowly. Central Power and Light company dam engineers estimated a 30-foot rise would inundate 100,000 acres of farm land in De Witt county.

Fear for the Austin municipal dam diminished when the Colorado started dropping steadily there.

Trinity river flooders would not reach Trinity for several hours.

Trinity At Peak.

The Trinity at Dallas reached a peak depth of nearly 43 feet on the gauge and caused thousands of dollars worth of damage to roads, bridges, lowland homes and crops. It was the second highest flood in history, a little less than 10 feet below the record flood of 1908.

The Trinity flooded sections near Liberty, Long Lake and vicinity. Texas started slow rise at Chapel Hill, spreading over lowlands.

Traffic across the Red river near Paris was suspended early today when flood waters submerged the highway on the Oklahoma side. The river was nearly 30 feet deep and was on its highest rise since 1908 at points west of the free bridge.

A rough estimate of damage to crops, property and livestock in the Electra section was placed at \$30,000. River waters were rising but much land was still inundated.

A path of death and destruction was left today by floods and tornadoes which swept across parts of Texas and Oklahoma over the week-end.

Thirteen persons were known dead, several were missing and many were injured as the floods and storms inflicted damages unofficially estimated at more than \$2,000,000 to highways, bridges, railroads, crops, livestock, business buildings and homes.

Okaloosa flooders in the Altus section, where the floods were the most severe in that state, receded yesterday.

Several streams in Texas, including the Red River, the Trinity, Colorado and Brazos, continued at flood stages, but dangers of further rises, unless more rain fell, apparently had passed.

Flood waters of Turkey Creek advanced to the north fork of the Red river near Altus, Okla. caused heavy damages and at least three persons were killed in that section. Three bodies had been recovered. They were those of Mrs. Claude Gowans, Jess Reed, a negro woman, and her daughter, Elizabeth Reid, 9.

Ten persons were killed in Texas.

Mrs. J. P. Pickersall and Police Chief Bill Garland of Burk Burnett were killed when the automobile in which they were riding crashed through a bridge over the Red river at Burk Burnett. Others known to be drowned were Mrs. E. O. Reeves and Mrs. J. P. Pickersall, driver of the auto, was rescued last night on island nine miles down the river.

Others dead in Texas were: Oscar Gilbert, Beloit, killed in a twister; Mrs. and Mrs. J. P. Phillips, Tinsion, fatally injured in a tornado; George Crenshaw, Weches, killed in a twister; Gregg Spencer and daughter, negroes, Weldon, killed in a tornado; Charles Ingie, Waco, drowned when a life raft of bridge; Henry Daniel, Dallas, drowned.

The worst of the storms hit North, Central and East Texas, twisters destroying business houses and homes, and swollen streams battering down bridges, inundating farm lands and sweeping away livestock.

Red River Raging Torrent.

The Red river was a raging torrent from Vernon in north-west Texas to Shreveport, and the Trinity was on a high rise, causing scores of families at Dallas to evacuate homes located in the lowlands.

Near Austin the Colorado river threatened to wash out a large municipal dam, and the Brazos and Bosque converged at Waco to cause a double threat. The Little River in Central Texas flooded thousands of acres of farm land, and the Guadalupe in the edge of South Texas swept across a

## RENTAL CHECKS

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ing at top speed, it was hoped to have the vouchers checked against the contracts and the certificates of acceptance, cards made out to the producers notifying them of the arrival of their checks, and other necessary work done by Wednesday morning, so that they could be distributed during Wednesday to the various banks in the county, and be available for the producers on Thursday.

Officials reported that the checks would be distributed in the same fashion as last year, and that producers would be notified promptly when their money arrived and it would be made available as quickly as possible at the bank which they usually patronized. All producers in the county were asked to co-operate and facilitate the distribution by not calling at the central offices in the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce for their vouchers unless they had received a card informing them of its arrival.

More Contracts Signed.

Some 400 more contracts have been signed for the 1935 producers for 1934 which will result in an increase in the benefits to this county.

In addition to the rental payments for 1935, a number of sections Contrite, 24, and a man believed to be her husband, a farmer. Telephone wires were down until shortly before noon, when a single line into Birmingham was opened.

Residents of the Midland City area said the storm apparently traveled in an easterly direction toward Headland, Ala. Telephone lines to Headland were out.

Dothan escaped the wind, but a heavy rain fell during the morning.

Storms in Mississippi.

JACKSON, Miss., May 20.—(P)—One person was killed and several others injured by cyclonic winds that swept scattered sections of Mississippi early today.

Sweeping southwestern winds county near Utica, the storm killed a negro child, leveled about 12 houses, injured an undetermined number of persons and badly damaged the property of the Utica Institute.

Officials Sent to Scene.

BATON ROUGE, La., May 20.—(P)—Gov. O. K. Allen said today he had sent Adjutant General Raymond H. Fleming of the National Guard, and Harry Jacobs of the state engineers to inspect the Northwest Louisiana flood situation which he said was "bad" and added that he might go himself.

NEW ORLEANS, May 20.—(P)—The United States weather bureau here today ordered storm warnings hoisted on the gulf coast from Mobile, Ala., to Apalachicola, Fla. The bulletin read: "Heaviest southeast storm warning 8:30 a. m. Mobile to Apalachicola. Disturbance over Mississippi will cause fresh to strong southeast winds and thunderstorms today."

The Panhandle reported a quarter of an inch rain fell at Texico, the only moisture for that district.

Residents to Fight Flood in Red River

SHREVEPORT, La., May 20.—(P)—Residents along Red river from Shreveport to Alexandria today were mobilizing to fight against the menace of a flood from a new rise in the stream, expected to reach its peak within a week.

Appeals were made to state and federal agencies to assist in the protection of levees and to provide relief for refugees who have or will move out of the threatened areas soon.

Colfax, Grant Parish, was virtually marooned by water this morning and by nightfall, residents of the town reported, travel to and from the place can only be made by boat.

Many sections of Red river parish appeared to be doomed to the approaching flood, and farmers and tenants in the lowlands are fleeing for safety.

In Natchitoches Parish around Cloutierville, approximately 100 families have left their flood marooned homes.

Further rises expected in Red River from the heavy rains that fell Saturday and Sunday increased the alarm for the area from Shreveport to Alexandria.

## Storm Kills Two in Southeast Alabama

DOOTHAN, Ala., May 20.—(P)—At least two persons were killed and an undetermined number injured near Midland City, Ala., today in a storm which cut a path across Southeastern Alabama.

Striking with tremendous force, the winds ripped roofs off houses and blew many of them to bits. The two known dead were brought to Dothan, approximately 20 miles south of the affected area, where they were identified as Mrs. Dew-

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## JUST FOLKS

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**MEANNESS**  
He took advantage of his purse  
And meanly used his power to  
pay.  
He made a poor man's misery  
worse  
By needless bitter things he'd  
say.  
He thought it wisdom to complain  
It never seemed to cross his  
mind  
How much of service one can gain  
By being courteous and kind.  
He treated waitresses with scorn  
Because he knew they must sub-  
mit.  
Though he to money had been  
born,  
He made a dreadful use of it.  
He never fought with equals. No!  
The grit for that he plainly  
lacked.  
'Twas but the helpless and the  
low  
Whom he so cruelly attacked.  
He gathered hate as his reward.  
To this small truth forever bind  
There's none so rich who can af-  
ford  
To be ungracious and unkind.

GOOD-NATURED  
NEIGHBORS

A civil engineer was do-  
ing some surveying prepar-  
atory to dividing up a huge  
ranch in this state of more  
than 1,000,000 acres. The  
work revealed the fact that  
in one place about 30,000  
acres of land were on the  
wrong side of the bound-  
ary fence. Somehow they  
had got mixed up in the  
real estate possessions of a  
neighbor ranch.

The matter was called to  
the attention of the neigh-  
bor. "All right, let's move  
the fence," he said.

Whether it means that  
30,000 acres are too small  
to bother about in posses-  
sions running into the mil-  
lions of acres, or whether  
it is evidence of the human  
generosity encouraged by  
life in great open spaces,  
the story is none the less  
interesting. Would that all  
line-fence disputes could be  
settled as easily and cheer-  
fully as that! And if only  
nations could be as casual  
about boundary lines, how  
much more peaceful the  
world would be today!

## COURT DECISIONS

It may be that Supreme  
Court decisions are taken  
too seriously by some of us.  
That is, with too much of  
a feeling that they are nec-  
essarily the last word, that  
they settle forever the fate  
of the nation or of impor-  
tant economic groups. In all  
respect to the greatest of  
our courts, and to its emi-  
nent and honorable mem-  
bers, it may be said that  
they have no such super-  
natural power.

It is well to remember  
this in connection with  
the decision on the rail-  
way pension act and  
some other recent de-  
cisions which have raised  
illogical fears or hopes in  
many minds. Even when  
dealing with vital economic  
problems that go to the  
heart of our system of life  
and government, the words  
of the Supreme Court are  
not final and irrevocable.  
Especially is this true of  
five-to-four decisions.

"Times change, and we  
change with them," as the  
old song says. Chief Justice  
Hughes himself has pointed  
out clearly and forcibly  
how the Constitution itself  
changes from age to age.  
As conditions alter, and  
judges come and go, the  
eternal spirit of our basic  
law is re-interpreted and  
thus preserved as a living  
power. Again and again  
the Supreme Court has re-  
versed itself and thereby  
preserved the Constitution  
by restating it to permit  
what the Fathers themselves  
would probably have done  
in the new situation. And  
amendments themselves are  
constitutional—the Consti-  
tution provided for orderly  
changes at any time by the  
will of the people.

It would be absurd to ar-  
gue that any self-governing  
nation cannot do whatever  
is necessary to preserve its  
life and well-being in chang-  
ing eras and serious crises.  
Thanks to the vitality and  
elasticity of our constitu-  
tional charter, we have  
been able so far always to  
make the necessary adap-  
tations. The Courts may lag  
behind advanced statesmen,  
or behind public opinion,  
but not very far behind  
when that opinion is strong  
and sound. We may be con-  
fident that, if they seem  
backward now in some  
ways, they will soon catch  
up with whatever changes  
in legislation or interpreta-  
tion may be really essential  
to the life and progress of  
the nation.

## SEA SERPENT!



## THE GREATEST POTENTIAL

Americans find it hard  
to understand the vast en-  
thusiasm of the scattered  
nations and colonies of the  
British Empire for King  
George. Especially as the  
British Empire is mostly a  
group of democracies about  
as free as our own.

Wonder at this apparent  
contradiction lessens as our  
people fraternize with our  
Canadian neighbors and  
grow familiar with their  
point of view. One of the  
first things we learn is that  
they resent the imputation  
of being "English." They  
are "Canadian," they would  
have us understand, and as  
good as the English. They  
point out that they are not  
ruled by, or dependent on,  
the British government in  
London. But they are "Brit-  
ish," and proud of it—blood  
brethren of the Britons in  
the British Isles, in Australia,  
in South Africa and  
throughout the world.

It is a bond of blood. But  
it is more. The supreme  
bond which binds the em-  
pire together is the British  
throne. It is above parlia-  
ments, political factions and  
racial groups. The King-  
Emperor is King of Canada,  
Australia and the rest just  
as he is King of England.  
To him they owe and pay  
personal loyalty. And loyal-  
ty gives power. There is  
something else, too. Every  
nation must have a funda-  
mental source of legal au-  
thority, from which gov-  
ernmental powers, human  
rights and property own-  
ership are assumed to spring.  
The King is that source. All  
property titles go back to  
him. Buy a piece of land in  
Canada, and you will find  
that at one or two or a do-  
zen removes you run into a  
"Crown deed"—it comes  
from the King. Furthermore,  
you find that the King has  
the right at any time to go  
"on, over or under" your  
property. "Eminent domain"  
is in his name. That helps  
to weave him into the lives  
of about one-fourth of the  
people in the world.

Some people's attitude  
toward government is like  
the old-fashioned mother's  
toward her children: "Find  
out what they're doing and  
tell 'em to stop it."

Don't take these presi-  
dential booms too seriously.  
Nearly all of them will "fa-  
down, go boom" before the  
year's over.

Greatness, says a young  
fellow interested in rail-  
roading, is having a Pull-  
man car named for you.

The slogan of all blocs  
is the quaint American  
phrase: "Gimme."

## TRUE FISH STORIES?

We don't quite get Lester  
A. Colby, vice president of  
the Izaak Walton League  
fishing school in Chicago.  
His league's motto is: "Get  
your fish, and take his pic-  
ture, or keep quiet."

"The notorious liar," he  
says, "is greatly deplored  
by all real practitioners of  
the fishing art. We will de-  
mand that our students sub-  
mit photographs or eye-wit-  
nesses to back up their  
stories."

It doesn't sound right.  
The idea of requiring fish-  
ermen to submit proof! Isn't  
the proof of a fish story in  
the telling of it? And isn't a  
tall fish story, well told,  
better than a big fish?  
The fish is soon gone, but  
the story with a bit of  
genius in it lives a long  
time.

SATURDAY, MAY 25,  
WILL BE POPPY DAY  
FOR CORSICANANS

Saturday, May 25, will be Poppy  
Day in Corsicana. On that  
day the women of Johnson-Wig-  
gins unit of the American Leg-  
ion Auxiliary will distribute lit-  
tle red poppies on the streets to  
be worn in honor of the World  
War dead. The observance here  
will be part of the annual nation-  
wide observance of Poppy Day,  
during which millions of Ameri-  
cans will pay tribute to the mem-  
ory of the war dead by wearing  
memorial poppies.

Poppy Day activities here will  
be directed by a committee  
headed by Mrs. J. E. McLemore, chairman. Other  
members of the committee are  
Mrs. Ray Morgan, Mrs. L. A.  
Wortham, Mrs. J. B. Redden, Mrs.  
Johnnie Storrie, Mrs. L. G. Haynes  
and Mrs. C. E. McWilliams.

Large corps of volunteer work-  
ers will be organized to carry out  
the distribution of the flowers.  
The poppies which will be worn  
here have been ordered from the  
Veterans Hospital, Kerrville, Tex-  
as, where they have been made  
by disabled World War veterans.  
The poppy making has provided  
employment for needy veterans  
through the winter and spring  
months, enabling them to help  
support themselves and families.  
Public response on Poppy Day  
will determine how soon and how  
extensively this work can be re-  
opened.

In exchange for the poppies, the  
Auxiliary women will ask each  
person to make a contribution  
for the welfare of the war's liv-  
ing victims, the disabled vet-  
erans, the widows and the father-  
less children of veterans. This  
money will be used entirely in  
the welfare work of the Legion  
and Auxiliary, the bulk of it  
the work of the local post and unit.

Funeral Thursday For  
Aged Kerens Resident

KERENS, May 18.—Funeral ser-  
vice for T. D. Harnal, 74, who  
died at his home Tuesday night,  
were held Thursday afternoon with  
burial in the Kerens cemetery. He  
was a native Texan and had re-  
sided here for the past 15 years  
and had been an employee of it  
the Kerens postoffice for the past 12  
years.

Surviving are his wife, 12 chil-  
dren, 25 grandchildren, and 12  
great-grandchildren.

## —By Clive Weed

## COURTHOUSE NEWS

## District Court.

The Navarro county grand jury  
Thursday afternoon returned the  
following indictments to District  
Judge J. S. Callcott:

Violation of the prohibition laws,  
1; rape and seduction, 1; murder,  
1; conspiracy and accomplice to  
burglary, 3; burglary and access-  
ory to burglary, 1; assault with  
intent to murder, 5; burglary, 1;  
robbery with firearms, 2.

Included in the indictments were  
two against Roy Curry, under life  
sentence for murder, for robbery  
with firearms in connection with  
the robbing of Mrs. Martin Me-  
Corkle and Joe Becton, Oct. 2,  
1934, on Highway 75 south of  
Corsicana when \$5 in money and  
Mrs. McCorkle's car was taken.  
It was stated that previous in-  
dictments returned were faulty.  
Curry is serving a life sentence  
for murder in connection with the  
fatal shooting of W. H. Stew-  
art, Jr., of Katy, Texas, near  
Waco during a holdup several  
months ago.

Byron McKinney, negro, was  
named in the murder indictment  
in connection with the death of  
his father, Matthew McKinney,  
Cheneyboro, negro, farmer, who  
was shot with a pistol several  
days ago.

The grand jury was still in  
session Friday morning.  
An instructed verdict was re-  
turned Thursday on orders of  
District Judge J. S. Callcott for  
the heirs of O. D'aniel, deceased,  
against Frank G. Curry, suit  
on note. Notice of appeal was  
given by the defendant.

District Judge Callcott was  
hearing evidence in the case of  
Catherine Shell Pinkston vs. Nat-  
C. Pinkston, individually and as  
executor of the estate of L. A.  
Pinkston, deceased, garnishment.

The jury for the week was ex-  
cused.

District Clerk's Office.  
The following case was filed:  
The First National Bank of  
Corsicana, Texas, vs. Nella Noble  
Hathorn and J. D. Hathorn, suit  
on note.

Warrant Deed.  
Mrs. Jennie W. Miller to C. T.  
Crowley, lots 1, 2, 3, 10, 11 and 12,  
block 454-H, Corsicana, \$50 and  
other considerations.

Assignment.  
J. E. Davant et al to Magnolia  
Petroleum Company, 75 acres B.  
P. Block survey, \$10 and other  
considerations.

Marriage License.  
Alton Coates and Pauline Faulk,  
Justice Court.

One was fined for drunkenness  
and disturbing the peace  
charge Friday morning by Judge  
W. T. McFadden.

One was fined for drunkenness  
Friday morning by Judge M. Eys-  
ant. Judge Bryant assessed fines  
Thursday against four for vagran-  
cy and two for drunkenness.

GRADUATING CLASS  
POWELL HI SCHOOL  
ISSUES INVITATION

The following announcement  
has been received from the grad-  
uating class of the Powell high  
school:

"The Senior class of the Powell  
high school extends a cordial in-  
vitation to the public to attend  
their new type vitalized com-  
mencement stressing service-  
speaker and pageant type pro-  
grams on the following dates:  
"May 19 commencement sermon  
at 8 p. m. in the high school  
auditorium.  
"May 23 Class Night at 8 p. m.  
in high school auditorium.  
"May 24 commencement exer-  
cises at 8 p. m. in high school  
auditorium."

Angry Bull Charges  
Blooming Grove Man,  
Fracturing Ribs

Joe George of the Blooming  
Grove community, who was in-  
jured by a bull, was charged  
Thursday afternoon when he was  
charged in a barn by an angry  
bull. The bull animal broke a  
rope and rushed over Mr. George.  
George was in Corsicana  
Friday morning and is not seri-  
ously injured.

Fine Dewberries.  
J. Walter Little of the Little  
Nursery company brought to the  
Daily Sun and Semi-Weekly Light  
a number of exceptionally fine dew-  
berries. They are known as the  
Young berry and are a cross be-  
tween an Auslin and a McDon-  
ald. They are almost seedless  
and are much larger than the  
average dewberry. Mr. Little said  
that they averaged 42 to a pint.  
The vines, he said, were only one  
year old.

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FEW IF ANY CHANGES NOTED  
IN FACULTY CITY SCHOOLS  
FOR 1935-36

At a recent meeting of the Cor-  
sicana board of education, the  
following teachers were elected  
for the school year 1935-36:  
Senior High School—O. P. Dou-  
glas, principal; J. A. Pierce, J. J.  
Willard, J. P. Gaudin, J. P.  
Korsythe, O. L. Hilliard, Hazel  
Hardage, Anna Belle Kiber, Min-  
nie Wiles, Manette Wilson, Eu-  
niece L. Orr, Annie Maud Shaw,  
Mrs. Murphy Williams, H. C. Al-  
len, Andrew Armstrong, Mrs. R.  
N. Elliott, Mary Few, Edna Wat-  
son, Hortense Davant, Frances De-  
Witt, Emma Dorcas Morgan, Mar-  
garet Lowry, Mattie D. Steele,  
Emma Laura Evans.

Junior High School—O. F. Al-  
len, principal; Wm. D. Pollan,  
Sarah Holman, Mrs. Alice Hollo-  
man, Ouida Watson, Corinne Mc-  
Clure, M. S. Cook, Margaret Har-  
dwick, Mary Howell, Julia Kiber,  
Mayme Moore, Mildred Morgan,  
Margaret Annall, L. A. Seay,  
Minor Bounds, Jr., J. D. Mallock,  
Sam Houston School—George  
Mecham, principal; Julia Amos,  
Mildred Alexander, Ruby Gal-  
lahar, Zeffie Hill, Corinne Lots-  
peich, Irene Frine, Inez King,  
Thelma King, Verana Stone,  
Eula Bonner, Betty Lloyd Suttle,  
Lois McCartney, Verne Montgom-  
ery, Lucille Abraham, Salie Ev-  
ans.

Wm. B. Travis School—Tommie  
Lacy, principal; Jennie Lee Guest,  
Mabel Mabry, Catherine Orr, Inez  
Stanley, Alma Armstrong, Loys  
Avery, Josephine Murchison, Dor-  
othy Sweetman, Hannah Brooks,  
Allie Mae George, Janice Miller,  
Kitty Hestlow, Katherine Mc-  
Mullan, Bettie Tippitt.

Robert E. Lee School—Nettie  
Bonner, principal; Ethel Inmon,  
Adelaide Robinson, Margaret Rod-  
erick, Mrs. E. F. Smith, Anna Lou  
Watson, Rachel Welch, Eleanor  
Thornell, Elizabeth Park, Nellye  
Mae Cumpston.

David Crockett School—Alleen  
Carraway, principal; Eula Ander-  
son, Kathrin Jester.

Stephen F. Austin School—Mrs.  
Pearl Avery, principal; Mrs. M.  
W. Galin, Izzy Murchison.

Music Supervisor—Lena Mae  
McClure.

Band Director—Joel Trimble.  
Health Nurse—Mrs. J. W. Mc-  
Adams.

Corsicanans Guests  
At Annual Guest Day  
Dawson Study Club

The Study Club of Dawson held  
its annual Guest Day reception  
Friday afternoon at the home of  
Mrs. C. C. Turner from 3:30 to  
5:30.

The receiving line headed by the  
hostess and the president of the  
club, was composed of the club  
members and guests. The program  
of entertainment was given by pupils  
of Miss Rose Sizemore's School of  
Dancing, and piano and violin  
numbers by Meland Bagby and  
Ruth Brown of this city.

After the program a lovely sal-  
ad and ice cream was served.

Among the Corsicanans present  
were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown,  
Mrs. A. L. Huffman, and Misses  
Ruth and Josephine Huffman and  
Miss Sizemore, also Mrs. Thas  
Skinner, of the Dallas, Texas, and  
Mary Sue Holsey of Chatfield.

The following program was given:  
Tap Militaire by Betty Sue  
Skinner and Miss Ruth Hoffman  
at the piano.

Piano Solo: "Le Fileuse" (Roff)  
—Meland Bagby.

Tap dance—Charles Williams.  
Playlet—"Mud Pies"—Betty Sue  
Skinner, Glenn Skinner, and  
Charles Williams.

Tap dance—Glenn Skinner.  
"On the Good Ship Lolly-Pop."  
Song and Dance—Nancy Ann  
Mize.

Spanish Dance—Betty Sue Skin-  
ner.

(a) Believe it Beloved" and (b)  
"Every Little Girl" (words by  
Miss Sizemore, music by Mrs. L.  
A. Wortham)—Nancy Ann Mize.

Reading—Miss Carolyn Chis-  
holm.

Violin Selections: (a) Kreisler's  
"Liebesfreud," (b) Meditation  
from Thais (Massenet)—Ruth  
Brown with Meland Bagby accom-  
panist.

Richland Baseball  
Player Awarded Bear  
Numeral Thursday

WACO, May 17.—(SPL)—Fred  
Vinson, sophomore in Baylor from  
Richland, was one of 12 varsity  
baseball players awarded letters  
by the athletic council yesterday  
for their service to the team during  
this spring. Vinson was a regu-  
lar right fielder for the Bruins,  
and a dependable all-round player.

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## Pledge

I will think—talk—write... Texas  
Centennial in 1936! This is to be my  
celebration. In its achievements I may  
give free play to my patriotic love for  
Texas' heroic past; my confidence in  
its glories that are to be...

PLANS COMPLETED  
FOR OBSERVANCE OF  
POPPY DAY, MAY 25

MRS. J. E. McLEMORE CHAIR-  
MAN OF COMMITTEE OF  
LEGION AUXILIARY

Complete plans for the observ-  
ance of Poppy Day here on Satur-  
day, May 25, were announced by  
Mrs. J. E. McLemore, poppy com-  
mittee chairman of the Johnson-  
Wiggins unit of the American Leg-  
ion Auxiliary, following the meet-  
ing of the committee. Organ-  
ization of a corps of volunteer  
workers to carry out the distribu-  
tion of the memorial poppies  
throughout the city was com-  
pleted and letters were sent to di-  
rect the work in the various areas.

"The American Legion Auxil-  
iary poppies will be distributed  
entirely by volunteer workers,"  
said Mrs. McLemore. "The re-  
sponse to the call for volunteers  
has been very gratifying from both  
our senior and junior members,  
and we will be able to give every-  
one in the city an opportunity to  
wear a poppy on Poppy Day. As  
the workers will serve entirely  
without pay or commission, every  
penny contributed in exchange for  
the flowers will go for the war  
fare activities of the Legion and  
Auxiliary."

"The enthusiasm of our women  
for the Poppy Day project is due  
to the two great purposes which  
the little memorial flower achieves.  
First, it pays tribute to those gal-  
lant young men who sacrificed  
their lives in defense of American  
ideals of France and Belgium. Sec-  
ond, and more important, it is a  
symbol of the war's relief and  
rehabilitation of the living  
veterans, their families and the  
families of the dead. We are  
hoping that the people of Corsica-  
na will understand the signifi-  
cance of the poppy and give us  
their support on Poppy Day."

Leaders appointed to direct the  
poppy distribution in the various  
districts of the city are: Mrs. Ray  
Morgan, Mrs. L. A. Wortham, Mrs.  
J. B. Redden, Mrs. Johnnie Storrie,  
Mrs. L. G. Haynes, Mrs. C. E.  
McWilliams.

CHAMBER COMMERCE  
SENDS RESOLUTIONS  
FEDERAL OFFICIALS

Following the mandate of the  
board of directors of the Corsica-  
na Chamber of Commerce, letters  
containing copies of a strong resolu-  
tion have been sent to the fed-  
eral officials of the United States, the  
two United States Senators from  
Texas, Congressman L. A. John-  
son, and United States Chamber  
of Commerce officials expressing  
the views of the local organization.

Text of the resolution follows:  
Resolved, by the board of di-  
rectors of the Corsicana, Texas,  
Chamber of Commerce:

"That we express our criticism  
of the national administration, passed  
by the United States Chamber at  
its recent Washington meeting,  
does not reflect the views of this  
organization, and it is not believ-  
ed that it is in the best interest of  
citizens composing its local units  
throughout the country.

"We condemn as unwarranted  
the assumption to speak for and  
to commit abuses to the national  
organization to this wholesale at-  
tack without first submitting such  
items to a general referendum, as  
provided by the constitution and  
by-laws.

"We know of no surer way to  
disrupt the national organization  
and lose to it the membership of  
the smaller groups, than to repeat  
the performance recently enacted.  
We are confident that the views  
of the average man and the aver-  
age community, and in fact,  
speaks only for the concentrated  
few who seem to control it, it  
seems to us that we will lose  
the sympathy, support and in-  
fluence of those who have no axe  
to grind but who look only to the  
spiritual and economic welfare of  
the country at large.

The resolutions were prepared  
by the committee composed of C.  
L. Jester, C. C. Roberts and Lowry  
Martin.

HABEAS CORPUS IS  
PLANNED FOR MAN  
CHARGED MURDER

A habeas corpus proceeding is  
scheduled in the district court  
Wednesday, May 22, for George  
Ketchie, charged by indictment  
murder in connection with the re-  
cent slaying of W. J. Towns of  
Corsicana, John R. Curington,  
criminal district attorney, stated  
Friday afternoon. An attorney  
representing Ketchie was here  
Friday.

Towns received knife wounds in  
Leon county and died in a local  
hospital the following day, March  
22. Ketchie has been in the coun-  
ty jail since he was arrested.  
The trial of Ketchie has been  
set for June 5.

Closing Exercises  
For Kerens Hi School  
Tuesday, May 28th

KERENS, May 18.—Graduating  
exercises for the Kerens schools  
will be held next week-end, be-  
ginning with the grammar school  
closing Friday night. Rev. Joe  
N. Everhart, pastor of the Kerens  
Presbyterian church, will deliver  
the baccalaureate sermon Sunday  
night, May 20.

Commencement exercises will be  
held Tuesday night, May 28, with  
J. W. O'Banion, assistant state  
school superintendent, as the main  
speaker. Dr. J. C. Blair, president  
of the school board, will present  
the diplomas to the seniors.

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## TEAGUE SUFFERS HEAVIEST DAMAGE; SEVERAL INJURED

### FOUR COMMUNITIES IN PATH OF HIGH WIND AT AN EARLY HOUR TODAY

One man was probably fatally injured and damage running into hundreds of thousands of dollars resulted from tornadoes striking four communities in south-central Texas early Saturday morning including Teague, Hearn, Oakwood, and Turlington.

Dan Dobbs, about 45, is in a hospital in a critical condition as a result of a broken back and other injuries received when the walls of the Pure Ice Company collapsed on him during the storm.

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## Negro Farm Hand Rescued From Mob Angry Citizens

### FOUR COMMUNITIES IN PATH OF HIGH WIND AT AN EARLY HOUR TODAY

The negro, Allen Samuel, 22, was reported by Justice of the Peace W. D. Hewitt to have engaged in a fight with a white man named Jack Holland earlier in the morning. The two were separated, and Samuel left, with a knife in each hand, minutes with a knife in each hand.

He attacked another white man, W. T. Danforth, who was cutting him with a knife in each hand.

A crowd of white men gathered quickly, disarmed the negro and started beating him. Hewitt said. The negro was hit on the head and succeeded in rescuing him.

Blewett took the negro to his office, and Deputy Sheriff Bob Alcorn and Fred Bradberry were summoned from Dallas to get the negro, Richardson is in Dallas county.

Samuel was charged with assault to murder both Jones and Holland. The deputy, who said, could not explain why the negro went on a rampage.

Mexia, Fairfield and other points had come into the community and were engaged in clearing away the debris from the streets and aiding in the work.

Some Damage Fairfield. Fairfield was in line with the path of the storm but escaped most of its force with only a few outbuildings being damaged. In the Grange Hall and Steward's Mill communities, less was reported heavy with several houses damaged, roofs blown off and several barns were reported destroyed. Crop damage was reported heavy.

At Turlington, ten miles east of Fairfield, traffic was blocked for a time on Highway 7 to several houses and barns, wrecked by the wind, could be cleared away.

Compilation of the preliminary estimates of damage to the various communities, showed that the losses will range between a quarter and half million dollars, not including the damages sustained by telephone, telegraph and electric service companies.

Losses Hearn. Mr. Ferguson returned from his inspection of the storm damage shortly after 1 o'clock and reported that the losses would run into the thousands of dollars in Teague alone. He said reports from the community, but that no serious injuries were reported, but crops were badly beaten and in some sections destroyed.

In the Cedar community, near Teague, a large barn and several houses were reported destroyed by the wind.

Mr. Ferguson reported also that the path of the storm across Highway 75 north of Fairfield was particularly wide, leaving a trail of trees with their tops twisted off by the force of the gale.

High Water Here. Farm lands in Navarro county were severely damaged by much damage was reported by the winds and rain early Saturday that sent all the smaller creeks and major streams into another decided flood stage.

Post Oak creek in the northern and eastern section of Corsicana was overflowing and was at the highest stage in the past ten years. The water was reported to move the flood waters of the western and southern sections of Corsicana for some time.

Briar creek, near Petty's Chapel, was rising rapidly and was reported to be overflowing at banks shortly before noon.

Chambers and Richland creeks, major streams, were coming out of their channels early Saturday morning and it is expected that this overflow will equal if not eclipse the flood of last week.

Richland was out of banks in the Emmett, Dawson and Furlow communities early Saturday morning and rising rapidly. The creek at Ward bridge southwest of Corsicana was rising rapidly Saturday morning and was expected to be out of banks early Sunday.

Chambers Creek overflowing. The creek at Chambers was overflowing at the Highway 31 crossing Saturday morning and rising. Reports from the vicinity of Bloomington and Cryer Creek were that the Trinity river was reported falling somewhat but still out of banks near Trinidad Friday afternoon.

Rehabilitation Committee. The rehabilitation committee, composed of three Legion and three Auxiliary members, and have their names sent to the state department. The organization of this committee is expected to be completed by Mr. Stubblefield.

Miss Marguerite Garlity introduced Mrs. Danforth, who extended greetings from the state department. Mrs. Risch said in opening that child welfare, of which she is a representative, and rehabilitation, go hand in hand. She pointed out that during and shortly after the war, women worked with disabled veterans, and realized the necessity of special work in child welfare.

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## REHABILITATION AND CHILD WELFARE WERE DISCUSSED FRIDAY

### FIVE STATE AND NATIONAL SERVICE OFFICERS LEGION AND AUXILIARY HERE

Five state and national officials of the American Legion and Auxiliary were guests of the service officers' conference on rehabilitation and child welfare for Navarro county Legion and Auxiliary members and veterans of the World War and anyone else having interest in the service and rehabilitation work and to enlist the aid of members in securing compensation for veterans and dependents where it is needed.

Those appearing on the program were Bruce Stubblefield, field secretary of the national rehabilitation committee of the Legion; Mrs. Ralph C. Risch, national child welfare chairman of the national auxiliary; Fred Young, state department adjutant; W. S. Goode, state department officer; and Mr. W. T. Danforth, president of the state department of the Auxiliary, of Fort Worth.

After the Navarro county meeting the officers left for Mr. Pleasant's home where they had a similar meeting Friday night. They were in Bryan before coming to Corsicana.

Luncheon Guests. The state and national officers were guests of the Johnson-Wiggins Post No. 22 American Legion at luncheon Friday noon at the Navarro Coffee Shop.

Ray Morgan, local post commander, presided, and explained the purpose of the meeting was to inform the Navarro county veterans and dependents of their rights for compensation. He introduced Herb Gorrod, director of the local fund and bugle corps, who introduced Stubblefield.

Mr. Stubblefield stated in opening that the object of the series of conferences was to give the veterans an idea as to what the state department and national organization is doing in the way of rehabilitation.

"We are trying to get an organization perfected in Texas to do things for you," he said. "You have the greatest possibilities in this country. We hope that organization can be set up to enable you to get maximum benefits from the national rehabilitation work."

Background Outlined. Mr. Stubblefield outlined the background of the national organization. He said the personnel of 52 persons is housed in its own building in Washington, and functions for the Legionnaires and other veterans in a number of ways.

One phase of the work is to formulate beneficial legislative measures from the mass of resolutions passed by state departments which comes into the national office.

There are, he said, twelve claims representatives and all of them are well-trained men in their particular lines. For instance, there are lawyers, doctors and laymen who work out the various claims, and they do not jump at conclusions.

"These men know what kind of evidence is needed, and their work has been effective over a period of 12 years," Mr. Stubblefield asserted. He pointed out that at least one man has gotten his claim put through every day for the last 12 years.

offer Co-Operation. The speaker further explained that there are 10 field secretaries, who cover five areas in the United States and its territories. Texas is in area C, which comprises five southern states and Puerto Rico.

"We cooperate in trying to take care of men and women, and work with other agencies," he said. "We find this method has proven very successful," Mr. Stubblefield said.

At this time the speaker went into detail concerning the plan for securing compensation for the veterans, and how to let the Legion handle their cases. He showed that only 42 percent of the claims handled by the veterans, without the assistance of the Legion, were successful, while 82 percent, with the Legion representative, were successful.

"This is true not because we have any pull, but because our representatives know what kind of information to secure to get the claims," Mr. Stubblefield declared.

After this background was explained, Mr. Stubblefield said: "We recommend an organization composed of three Legion and three Auxiliary members, and have their names sent to the state department. The organization of this committee is expected to be completed by Mr. Stubblefield."

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Mrs. Risch went into detail explaining the child welfare department set-up, which is headed, she said, "by the finest child welfare workers in the United States."

Teachers Elected For Dawson Schools. DAWSON, May 19.—(P)—The following teachers will be with the Dawson schools during the 1935-1936 season: Holland C. Filko, superintendent; Gaston T. Gooch, Miss Lila Hucklebee, Frank J. Nichols, Miss Lora Nelson, Miss Bertha Guggion, Miss Ella E. Gooch, Miss Lila Gooch, and Miss Binnie Johnson. Others are to be elected.

Ray L. Waller has accepted the superintendency of the Rice school and is succeeded by Gaston T. Gooch.

## INFLUENCE OF BAPTISTS TO END LYNCHING, WAR, LIQUOR TRAFFIC IS BEING ENLISTED

### By ERNEST B. VACCARO Associated Press Staff Writer. MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 18.—(P)—

The influence of the Southern Baptist convention—with a membership of 4,000,000 persons—was enlisted today behind a program to halt lynching, war, the liquor traffic, movies considered unwholesome, and any move to link church and state program, submitted in a report by the social service commission and adopted unanimously yesterday, was an amendment expressing, "deep concern for social justice for all individuals and groups."

The amendment, approved by the commission chairman, Dr. A. J. Barton, of Wilmington, N. C., was offered by Dr. J. M. Dawson, of Waco, Texas, after an address in which he referred to the allegations of mistreatment of sharecroppers in the South.

The convention postponed until next year action on a recommendation by Dr. E. M. Poteat, Jr., of Raleigh, N. C., for the establishment of a bureau of social research to investigate conditions confronting sharecroppers in Arkansas and elsewhere, labor disorders in southern industrial centers and all attempts at the alleged "arbitration of elemental human rights."

Dr. Poteat's committee—with additional members from each of the convention's states—will report next year at the St. Louis convention, to be presided over by Dr. John R. Sampey of Louisville, Ky., the new president.

The year's convention will adjourn today.

Speaking in behalf of his amendment to the social service commission report, Dr. Dawson said that "it is reported that in my own state, there are farm owners who work their tenants on the halves, require them to buy all supplies at exorbitant prices and charge the legal interest in addition, thus reducing these tenants to virtual peons."

But one official said he believed an unemployed who had managed to stay off relief rolls because they had not entirely exhausted their private resources would make a strong effort to get direct employment in the \$4,000,000,000 program.

Data on the financial capacity of states and communities already has been assembled by Harry L. Hopkins, works progress chief, in his drive for larger relief contributions. But just how he, Ickes, and Frank C. Walker, head of the applications division, would decide federal contributions was not disclosed.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—(P)—A vision of cities throughout the land hastening to take a sort of figurative "pauper's oath" so they could claim a federal grant of \$4,000,000,000 work relief fund caused concern in some government quarters today.

They expressed some worry lest individuals, as well as cities, rush to declare themselves poor. Officials were seeking to work out methods of preventing such a stampede.

The Roosevelt administration has laid down the policy that fairly prosperous cities must prepare a substantial plan for relief work, while cities that have no borrowing power left are to receive 100 percent grants; that is, gifts.

An official, who would not permit use of his name for publication, said he was not sure a city would protest having to pay back some of the money, while another doesn't.

The speaker declared that the Legion child welfare department is affiliated with similar departments of other organizations. Divided Into Three Phases.

"Our work is divided into three phases, namely: educational, legislative, and direct financial aid," the national officer said. We were all very green when we started, but we learned that unless we did something to work for the children, that is, do more than just take them a dozen oranges now and then, our work would be ineffective."

The speaker explained the workings of the three phases of the work, and suggested that a survey of local cases be taken. He pointed out that if local funds and state funds are exhausted or not available for the work, the national organization has a "national endowment fund," which is the interest on \$5,000,000, which is used each year for such work.

The quoted the national commander as saying he was at the national convention last year as long as there are needy cases in the United States.

"The object of our coming here is to give you help so that you can get help for needy children," the national officer said. "The most unselfish work of the American Legion," Mrs. Risch declared in closing.

Goode Is Heard. Mr. Goode was presented, and related the object of the present meeting. He pointed out that the Legion and Auxiliary are spending more time and effort this year on the road and helping to get the children of needy cases before the state and federal officials. He said he finds a wonderful lack of information on the subject in the average post, despite the fact many letters containing such information are sent out.

Mr. Goode said the service officers are spending much time in travel to educate the veterans and dependents on the subject, and how to secure the proper information and evidence for claims. In this connection the speaker recalled several instances where veterans had legitimate claims for compensation, but did not receive it because they did not know what kind of evidence to get.

Post Commander Morgan recognized Mrs. Gladys Kinsolving, former state president of the auxiliary, Mrs. Pappas, Mexia, sixth-district committeewoman; Mrs. Anderson, G. C. Brown, of the Corsicana Auxiliary, and a number of others.

Cover Much Territory. Mr. Young was presented, and introduced the representatives of the state and national officers were making. He said they had covered over 6,000 miles since April. The two-fold purpose of the trips, he said, was to tell the work of the national organization to them, and to enable that organization to render service to the veterans.

Mr. Young elaborated on the organization of a post committee, which he suggested should have meetings and study the child welfare guide.

"I believe rehabilitation and child welfare work is the main work of the American Legion. This is our work and we propose to do it," he declared.

"This work has just started in the United States, and especially in new Texas. I believe there are 30,000 veterans in Texas eligible for \$40 a month compensation, and because we have fallen down in finding them, we should redouble our efforts to track them down, and insure them the proper living."

## GOVERNOR ALLRED FLATLY REFUSES TO CALL NEW SESSION

### WILL TAKE APPROPRIATION BILLS ON CENTENNIAL TRAIN TO STUDY

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The regular session failed to pass a bill requested by Governor Allred created by the legislature, \$60,000,000 from the federal government with which to construct the pipeline.

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## Courthouse News

### District Court.

The Navarro county grand jury recessed late Friday afternoon until Monday morning and returned the following six indictments to District Judge J. S. Callcutt: Roy Curry robbery with firearms in connection with the hijacking of Ned Lindsey, Oct. 2, 1934, south of Corsicana on Highway 75, when \$25 was taken by an armed band.



## BEAUTY CHATS

By EDNA KENT FORBES

All requests for beauty information desired by Edna Kent Forbes column followers must be accompanied by a fully self-addressed, stamped envelope (a.s.e.) and two cents in stamps to cover cost of printing and handling. For the illustrated samples, "BEAUTY" is paid in stamps, not fully a.s.e., must be enclosed. Address Miss Forbes in care of this paper.

## FINISHING TOUCHES

**PROFESSIONAL MAKEUP**  
Miss Forbes gives you a few hints today on the difference between makeup as done professionally and by the careless amateur. This may help you.

The difference between amateur and professional make-up is the difference between a sketch made with rough crayons by a small child and a picture done by a real artist. You would realize this if you sat in the motion picture studios and watched the girls come in for special make-ups. They are already made up themselves, of course, and some of them aren't bad at it, and heaven knows they use more than enough color and varieties of things on their faces. The first job of each picture studio is to clean all this off with a light oily cream, leaving a nice untouch surface for the make-up man.

Then comes professional work. Eyebrows shaped to perfection, which often as not means painting in hairs where the foolish girls have plucked them out. Eyes shadowed delicately, but made to look large, sparkling, even to look intelligent, or soulful, or tender, as the part requires. Hollows treated with light powder and prominent places with darker, to perfect the facial contours. No rouge, since red goes black before the camera—except in the new color pictures. Lips darkened and headed for length or else false lashes put on—a convention I hope we get away from soon in the films. Every fault cured, every good point brought out, and all by make-up. No wonder film stars, even the poorest film extra, is a beauty!

Every town has shops where make-up is taught. Since you no doubt use it, like everyone else these days, go and learn how. Usually you sit up at a counter in the department where rouge is sold and an expert from one of the big New York cosmetic concerns makes you up and tells you what you need to buy and how to use it after you have bought it. It is a free lesson, for you always buy something, even if it is only an extra box of rouge.

And well worth it too, if you are not a make-up expert yourself.

**Mrs. T. B.**—Keep up the exercises, especially those for reducing the hips and abdomen, but get rid of the extra pounds through the diet. The starches, fats, and sugars are what cause the loose fatty tissue over your body. You should get rid of about 35 pounds to come down again to normal weight.

**Mrs. B.**—You may be sure that a pimple means impurities that are not being carried off normally, and a continuance of such trouble calls for some thorough treatment. The occasional pimple merely gives warning that there has been indiscretion in eating, or that the system needs an extra cleansing. Fasting for a day or two helps much, as it gives nature a chance to cleanse, and rests the digestive system.

Tomorrow—Foods That Beautify

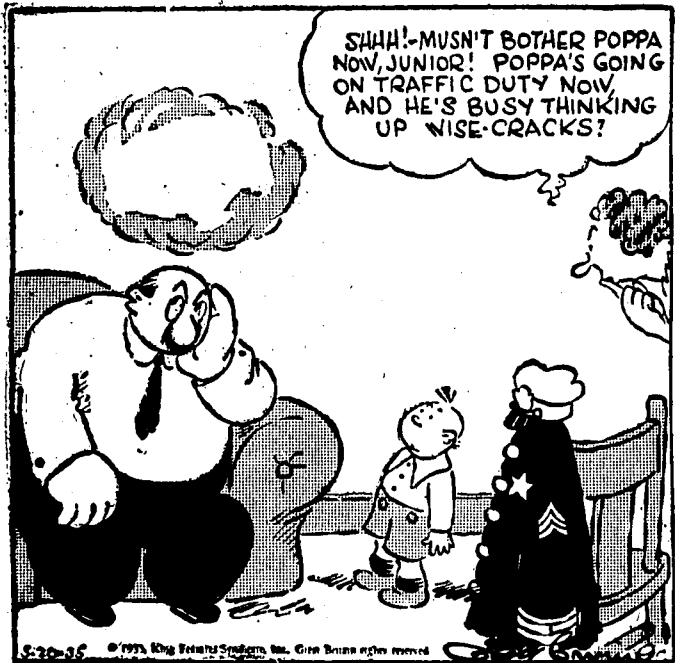
## FEDERAL INSPECTOR VISITED CORSICANA BASTILE FRIDAY

A federal jail inspector was in Corsicana Friday looking over and inspecting the Navarro county jail and advised Sheriff Rufus Pevehouse that there was a possibility that federal prisoners might be sent here to serve out sentences. Federal prisoners have been taken out of certain jails in the country due to the conditions of the jails and other causes, it was stated.

## Sprained Wrist As Result of Fall

H. O. Blanding is carrying his right arm in splints and a sling as the result of a recent fall. Mr. Blanding rushed out to his garage during a rain and having on rubbers he slipped on the wet driveway and received a badly sprained right wrist as the result of the fall. The arm is healing nicely it was stated.

## BUGHOUSE FABLES



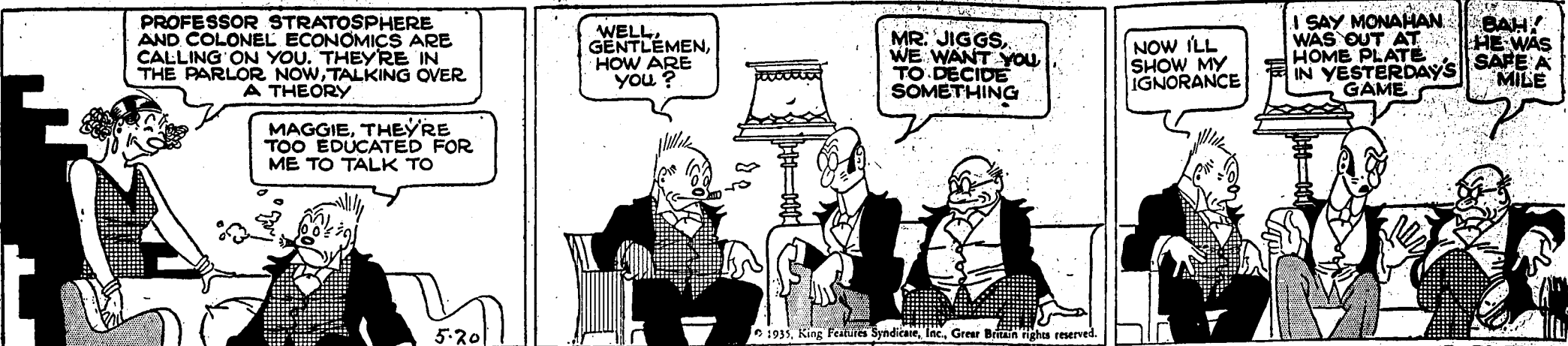
## TODAY'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

Solution of Friday's Puzzle.

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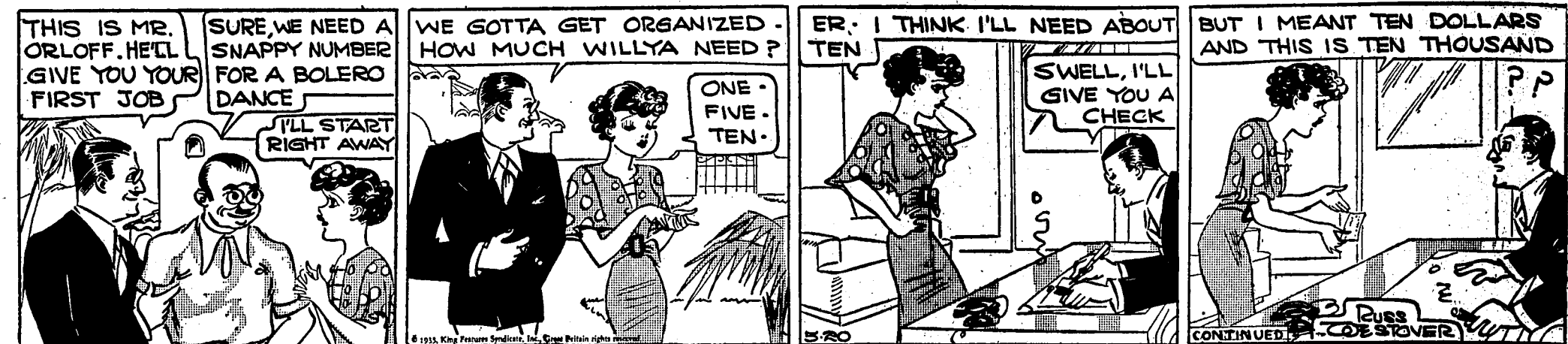
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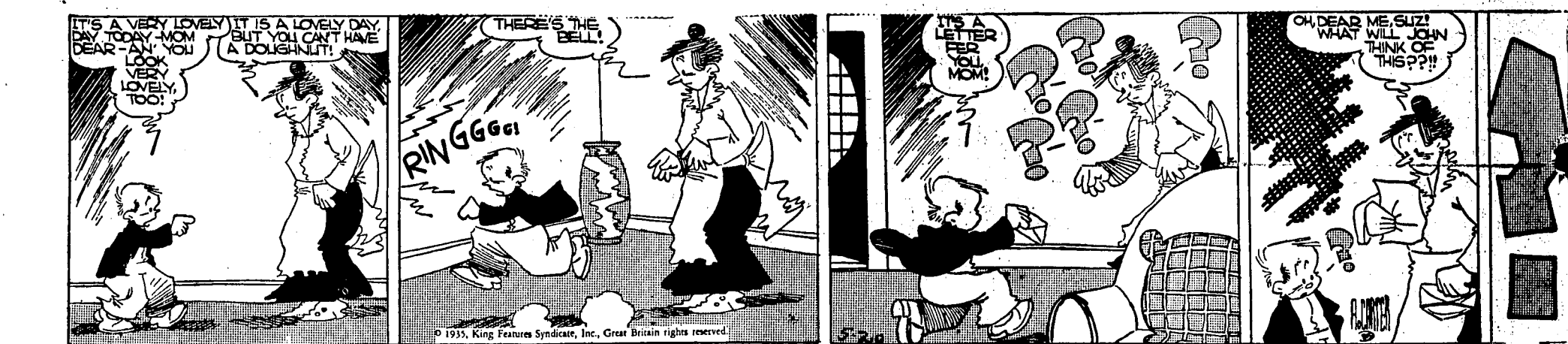
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## TILLIE THE TOLLER—TEN GRAND



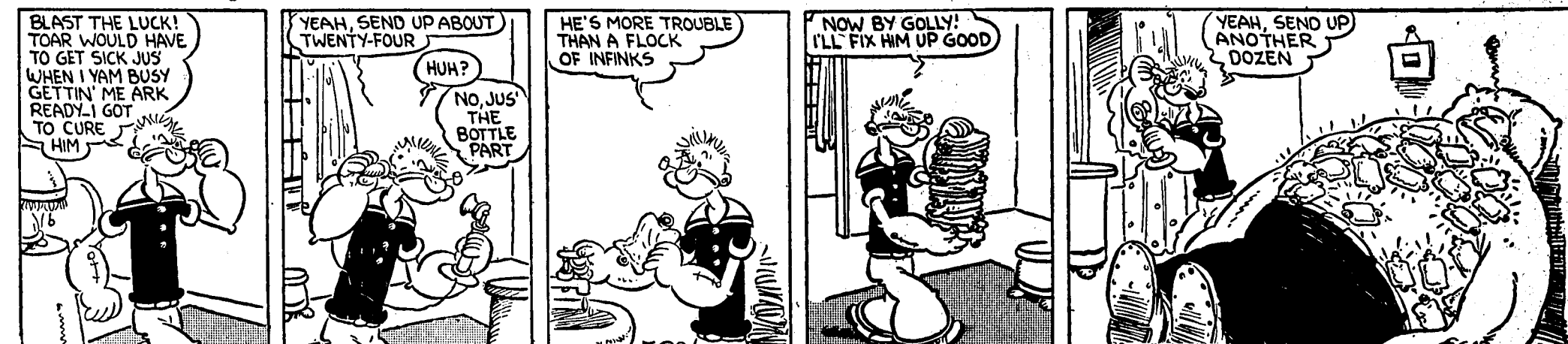
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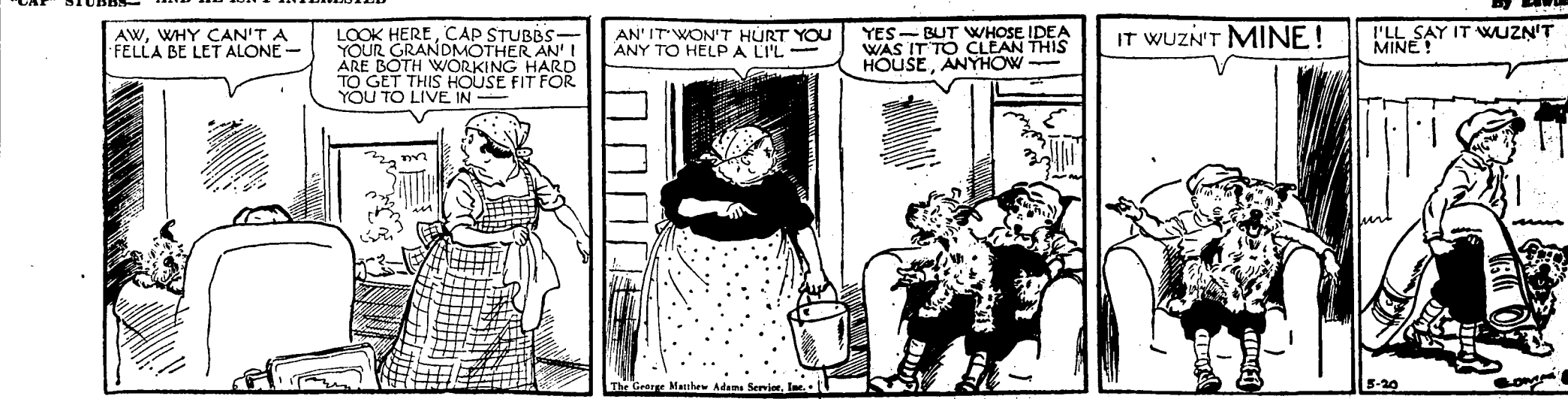
## MICKEY MOUSE—BIRDS OF A FEATHER



## THIMBLE THEATRE Starring POPEYE—NOW SHOWING—“NEEDLES ON A HAYSTACK” TOMORROW—“SUNNYSIDE UP!”



## “CAP” STUBBS—AND HE ISN'T INTERESTED





# Markets

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### MAJOR PROVISIONS OF BILL PASSED BY HOUSE APPROVED; TWO ARE ADDED

WASHINGTON, May 17.—(AP)—The administration's social security bill as approved today by the senate finance committee with two major additions to the form in which it passed the house.

The measure, a vital part of the administration's legislative program for the session, was reported by the committee without a record vote, after attempts to modify or separate it into several bills were rejected.

Approval of the bill left only the omnibus bank bill, among the major administrative measures, still in a senate committee.

All of the major provisions of the house bill were approved by the senate committee and it added:

1. A voluntary annuity system by which workers could provide up to \$100 a month for their old age.

Federal aid to the needy blind up to \$15 a month to be matched by the states.

The only other major change in the house bill was an amendment by Senator LaFollette (P-Wis) to permit states to allow companies to have their own unemployment reserve funds, instead of requiring state-wide pools.

The LaFollette amendment, it was said, would encourage employers to stabilize employment by permitting them to stop contributing when they had accumulated a sufficient reserve.

**LOCAL FLOODS**  
 (Continued From Page 1)  
 Richland Creek in the northwestern section of the county was reported subsiding after its highest stage in recent years.

The creek had returned to its channel from the crossing at Monday, and had also left the lowlands in the Emmett sector.

A drop of 16 to 18 inches was reported on Richland Creek at Ward Bridge over Highway 21 west, but the decline was very slow. Lowlands around Purdon were still flooded but it was anticipated that Richland and its tributaries would be back in banks by Tuesday unless additional rainfall was received.

Richland residents reported Richland Creek south of Corsicana was higher than it had been at any time since the new highway bridges had been erected, and railway officials reported it was within a few inches of the bottom of the steel girders of the railway trestle late Sunday.

Trinity river was out of banks Sunday afternoon and overflowing a portion of the lowlands on the west side of the river, but the crest of the present flood stage was not expected to pass Dallas until Monday afternoon and will probably not reach the Trinity area until sometime Thursday or Friday with prospects of even more territory being covered than flooded during the recent overflow.

Railway traffic between Corsicana and Waco was suspended from Saturday morning until Sunday morning because of the short stretch of washed out dump between Hubbard and Dawson on Battle Creek.

**Trains On Schedule.**  
 All trains were reported running practically on time Sunday in this section of the state. Schedules were suspended on the Southern Pacific branch line from Waco to Bremond because of flood conditions of the Brazos, Little and Navasota rivers.

Observers from various sections of the county said that in their opinion a minimum of crop damage had resulted from the high waters so far. Only oats that had started ripening were seriously damaged according to reports, and cool nights had minimized the incursion of black rust to date.

Some cotton was washed away, but observers stated that ample time remained for replanting, and that most of the cotton was in good condition after the waters receded in some sections. They indicated a belief that little corn had been damaged.

**REPRESENTATIVES OF RED CROSS ON TOUR STORM AREA**  
 A party of Red Cross workers, headed by Miss Anna McMechen, veteran case worker for the American Red Cross, disaster relief division, arrived in Corsicana Sunday night and after conferring with local officials, left early Monday morning for an automobile tour of the rural sections.

They had not returned at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

## Investigation Of Rail Financing Ordered Monday

### WASHINGTON, May 20.—(AP)—The senate today ordered an investigation of railroad financing after Chairman Wheeler of the interstate commerce committee had declared conditions in some of the systems were "scandalous."

The investigation was authorized in a resolution by Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) which was passed by the senate without a record vote.

It carried an appropriation of \$25,000 and called on the interstate commerce commission to assist.

Wheeler said hearings probably would start next fall.

**New Americans In French Hardcourt Tennis Tournament**  
 PARIS, May 20.—(AP)—The French hard court championships, first of the season's major tennis fixtures, get under way today with the smallest American delegation in years.

Only Helen Jacobs, the American champion, and Dorothy Annus of Stamford, Conn., in the women's division, and Henry C. Huttenbach and William Hines in the men's will represent the United States, although virtually all the other leading players in the world are entered.

## News of County Home Demonstration Clubs

**Emhouse.**  
 The Emhouse Home Demonstration club met May 14, in an all-day meeting at the home of Essie and Frances Melton. After the noon hour, the meeting was called to order by the president. Three new members were added to the roll. The new members present were Mrs. H. R. Ponder, Mrs. Walter Johnson and Mrs. C. E. Earl. There were three visitors present. Sixteen members answered the roll call. The members then received their secret sister gifts. Due to the rainy weather, the meeting was adjourned. Everyone reported an enjoyable day.

The club will meet May 28, at the home of Mrs. Nell Collins. Everyone is invited to attend.

**Roosevelt Kin Will Become Entertainer For Supper Club**  
 NEW YORK, May 20.—(AP)—Mrs. Francis L. Robbins, Jr., wife of a cousin of President Roosevelt, will become a supper club singer. She will make her debut Wednesday night on the Hotel Pierre Roof.

Mrs. Robbins, attractive Russian-born blonde, is married to a socially prominent lawyer who has given his full approval to her professional career. By her own wish, however, she will take no money for her songs. Her pay will go to Ethel Barrett, a professional singer and protégé of Mrs. Robbins.

## STOCK MARKET IN SLIGHTLY UPWARD TREND ON MONDAY

NEW YORK, May 20.—(AP)—The stock market got its bearings after some hesitation today and moved cautiously upward with specialties and communication shares in the lead.

Mining issues were a bit perturbed by the drop of 1 cent in a course in bar silver and rails were lazy, but in other divisions of the list gains of less than a point were well distributed. The closing tone was steady. Sales approximated 940,000 shares.

**Cold Rain Caused Postponement First Women's Golf Round**  
 LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 20.—(AP)—A cold driving rain this morning caused postponement of the qualifying rounds in the women's Southern Golf championship tournament until noon.

Mrs. Dave Gaut of Memphis, president of the Women's Southern Golf Association, announced that medal play would start at noon if the weather cleared, but if the rain continued the opening would be deferred until tomorrow.

In the event the tournament opening is delayed until tomorrow, Mrs. Gaut said, championship finals will be played Sunday provided the course is available that day.

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## LARGE NUMBER OF ODD FELLOWS FROM ETEX HERE SUNDAY

### INTERESTING PROGRAM PRE- SENTED ENTERTAINMENT OF VISITORS

Several high Rebekah and I. O. O. F officials, along with 155 East Texas Odd Fellows, braved Sunday's downpour and flood conditions on the highways to attend the annual East Texas visiting day at the I. O. O. F. Home Sunday and a number made brief talks at the program given in the auditorium when the students of the Home appeared in a musical program under the direction of Miss Ruth Thomas, music director. J. D. Sachse, acting superintendent of the Home, presided.

The scheduled picnic-lunch on the grounds was forced to be held in the dining room at the Home.

The amateur play, an impersonation of officials and teachers of the Home, a broadcast feature, was given along with "Pink and Patches," two-act play presented in the University of Texas Inter-scholastic League competition, featured before the Texas Grand Lodge and other programs in which the play was specially requested. The play had its setting in the home of a mountaineer family.

Tyler lodge sent the largest delegation Sunday when 118 members were present.

Included in the list of speakers were Mrs. Emma King Fountain of Orange, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas; Earl Orebough of Tyler; J. D. Warren of Tyler, grand warden-elect, Texas Grand Lodge; W. A. Doty of Longview; I. W. Nolan of Malakoff; Dr. McDonald of Jacksonville and others.

## LARGEST GRADUATING CLASS IN HISTORY FROST HIGH SCHOOL

FROST, May 20.—(Spl.)—The Frost high school will issue diplomas to the largest senior class in the history of the school. The list of twenty-nine graduates follows:

Henry Brown, Jerry Stockard, Aldine Moore, Ted Nibbling, Robert Green, Fabrian Magee, Will S. Bigbee, Judy Slay, Irma Gordon, Toledo Short, Geraldine Short, Ann Ruth Osborne, Mozelle Osborne, Lula Jane Dean, Norine Dean, Catherine Fonder, Rose Ann Steen, Hazel Morris, Maurine Fields, Maurine McClure, Opal Cagle, Robbie English, Minnie Searcy, Doris Marie Keithley, Dorothy Rivers, Winnie Fae Pevehouse, Winona Shelton, Oleta Sykes, Nannie Stonger.

Jerry Stockard is valedictorian of the class and Norine Dean is salutatorian.

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Dr. Carl L. Wainman of Southern Methodist University, Dallas, at the First Methodist church in Frost, Sunday evening, May 26th.

The graduation exercises will be held at the Frost Stadium Friday Evening, May 31st. Dr. C. R. Gray of Corsicana will deliver the commencement address.

## Negro Pleads Guilty To Two Charges and Given Two Years

Chas. Turner, negro, entered pleas of guilty to indictments for burglary and theft before District Judge J. S. Callicutt Saturday and was given concurrent two-year sentences. He was tried in connection with the entrance of a house belonging to F. H. Burleson near Streetman and the taking of some harness.

## Little Change In Number Business Failures in April

AUSTIN, May 20.—(Spl.)—Little change occurred in the number of business failures in April, as compared with the preceding month and the corresponding month last year, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. An average of six failures per week were reported during April, the same number as in March, as compared with five per week in April last year. Average liabilities per failure during April were \$10,826, a decrease of 22.3 per cent from March and 12.5 per cent from April, 1934.

## FUNERAL SERVICES SUNDAY AFTERNOON FOR J. D. STORY

Funeral services for John D. Story, 71, pioneer ginnee, civic, religious and political leader, of Navarro county, who died at his home in the Angus community Saturday morning at 4:15 o'clock, were held from the First Methodist church here Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock with burial in the Hamilton cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. Clark, pastor of the Pleasant Grove Methodist church of which Mr. Story had been a member since boyhood. Rev. T. Edgar Neal, pastor of the First Methodist church, and Dr. C. R. Gray, presiding elder of the Corsicana Methodist district.

Mr. Story was born in Henderson county, Tennessee, but had resided in Navarro county since two years of age. He had been a ginnee for 48 years and was president of the Navarro county school board at the time of his death. He had been a member of the county school board since 1912 and was the first president of the organization. Mr. Story was superintendent of the Pleasant Grove Methodist church Sunday school for many years, but had been a member of the Brotherhood class of the First Methodist church for the past several years. He was married to Miss Addie Love Swearingen, Jan. 16, 1890. Mrs. Story died several years ago.

Surviving are a son, Seth Story, Angus; three daughters, Mrs. Herbert Soape, Angus; Mrs. Clarence Harris, Minerva; and Mrs. B. R. Thomas, Angus; four sisters, Mrs. Maggie Gattis, Rising Star; Mrs. Lennie Neely, Corsicana; Mrs. M. M. Smith, Waco; and Mrs. T. J. Garner, Corsicana, and five grandchildren.

Active pallbearers were D. C. Bray, H. M. Zwickard, J. L. Jackson, Guy M. Gibson, A. E. Haslam, and W. M. Huff.

Honorary pallbearers were friends of the family.

Singers were Mrs. Boyce Martin, Mrs. L. A. Asher, H. E. Metcalf and E. F. Hearn.

The funeral was directed by the Sutherland-McCammon Funeral Home.

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## SINCLAIR EMBARKS UPON HIS LATEST PLAN FOR RELIEF

### PRODUCTION FOR U S E WOULD RELIEVE FIFTY MIL- LION PERSONS IN WANT

LOS ANGELES, May 20.—(AP)—An organized campaign for production-for-use, through which he hopes to obtain a "definite answer" from the Democratic party in 1936, was charted today by Upton Sinclair, former Socialist and writer.

Declaring that production-for-use—by which unemployed would produce their own necessities—was the only remedy he had found for \$50,000,000 persons in "semi-starvation," he said his EPIC organization would support Franklin D. Roosevelt if the president would advocate such a program.

A state convention of "End Poverty in California" forces which supported his emigration race for governor last year, authorized him, before it closed last night, to expand "EPIC News" into a national publication. Previously he had told the convention he expected to make a national production-for-use speaking campaign this fall. He also strongly advised against any third party movement and recommended reelection of President Roosevelt instead of any "reactionary president."

In a speech to the convention late yesterday, Sinclair said if President Roosevelt does not advocate production-for-use, an EPIC candidate will be entered against him in all Democratic primaries. This, however, he said, would not prevent re-nomination of the president, but would force inclusion of a production for use plank in the next Democratic platform.

## REPUBLICANS FROM PRAIRIE STATES IN COUNTER ATTACK

CHICAGO, May 20.—(AP)—Republicans from nine prairie states today regarded their "grass roots" conference at Springfield June 10-11 as the battle call to win back the Middle West, which tumbled from its historic position as a G. O. P. stronghold in the Roosevelt landslide of 1932.

The stake is a rich one. The section's 13,515,379 ballots for both presidential candidates in 1932 formed 29.84 per cent of the total popular vote of 38,583,698.

The nine states gave President Roosevelt 6,976,753 votes, 50.37 per cent of the 22,821,837 he received from the entire nation.

They gave former President Hoover 4,499,626, or 28.80 per cent of his 15,761,841. The section's electoral votes went to Roosevelt as he carried each state, to form 25.21 per cent of his 472 electoral votes.

On the section Roosevelt polled 60.57 per cent of the votes as against the 39.43 per cent he received of the total in the nation.

## Pete DePaolo Brings Lucky Charms Back Speedway For Trials

INDIANAPOLIS, May 20.—(AP)—Pete DePaolo, automobile racing veteran, brought a famous, travel worn pair of baby shoes back today to the motor speedway where he plans a comeback in the 500-mile race May 30.

They are the same tiny shoes that rode the front axle of his racer in 1925 to a record-breaking victory in the speed classic. The boy who wore them is a big lad now, but after a decade his father is using the old luck charm again.

Eleven drivers headed by Rex Mays of Los Angeles already have qualified for positions in the starting field of 33. DePaolo and others of the more than fifty entrants were given opportunity to join the list as the time trials resumed today.

They must average at least 100 miles an hour over the 2.5-mile qualifying run. Mays grabbed the pole position Saturday with a ten-lap dash at 120.76 miles an hour. Eight others trailed him, and two more made the grade Sunday. Mauri Rose of Dayton, O., at 116.470 and Russell Snowberger of Philadelphia at 114.209.

## SHIRLEY EVANS

(Continued From Page 1) the children's cave. His own son, Taylor, six, had helped in the digging.

Putney, teacher of history in New York University, has an apartment in the same building occupied by the Evans. Today he urged another search of the excavation, formerly a vacant lot used by the children as a playground.

The child's mother, Mrs. Pauline Evans, became hysterical when notified of the discovery. Her husband, William Evans, told her the news. She broke into frenzied weeping, and it required the efforts of her husband and her mother, Mrs. Mark Elery, Allentown, Pa., to care for her.

She repeatedly broke into incoherent references to a negro watchman.

## Local Legionnaires Attended Week-End Meeting at Athens

Corsicana was well represented at the Seventh District American Legion convention in Athens Saturday and Sunday, local Legion members reported Monday. A fine attendance and excellent program was reported despite the rains and inclement weather.

Johnson-Wiggins Post No. 22, American Legion drum and bugle corps attended the convention.

## LARGE AUDIENCE PLEASED BY BAND OF HARDIN-SIMMONS

### COWBOY ARTISTS CONCERT NETTED NEARLY \$100 FOR LOCAL UNIFORM FUND

A concert more to be expected from a symphony orchestra than from a band was presented by the Cowboy Band, Incorporated, of Hardin-Simmons University of Abilene at the high school auditorium Saturday night, to a near-capacity crowd. Sponsors of the concert reported that nearly \$100 was netted for the uniform fund of the Junior High school band.

Under the direction of Marion B. McClure, conductor, the student performers presented their admirably varied program with the aplomb and finish more to be expected of professional musicians. Their attacks were sharp and clean, and their numbers well modulated throughout with little of the ear-splitting racket which usually typified the indoor band concert.

Corsicana's own contribution to the band was Herbert Louis Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hill, whose phone artist A substitution was made in the printed program for the fourth number in the second group, and "Tiger Rag" was presented by the band, dedicated to Mr. and Mrs. Hill, parents of the bass player.

Chief Yowlache, Yakima soloist, pleased the audience with his wide range and his skillful interpretations and renditions of both native Indian numbers and songs of the range.

Fred Martin, formerly of Streetman, stopped the show with his work on the piano accordion and his singing and was forced to give several numbers before the program could continue.

Another outstanding performer throughout the entire program was Billy Morrow, tympnist extraordinary, who made his kettle drums behave in exceptional manner, and then closed the performance with two xylophone selections of high order.

Program Well Varied.

The program was opened with the "Cities Service March" by Bourdon, and this was followed by a musical pantomime of selected portions of the "Death of Custer" by Johnson. The closing portion of this number, "The Burial of General Custer" with its presentation of "Taps" and "Nearer My God to Thee" was particularly impressive.

Chief Yowlache was presented of justice.

In two Indian songs that brought well merited applause. The work of John P. Cerminaro on the saxophone in his version of "Ballet Egyptianne" by Luigini was outstanding and he was forced to respond with "Only Make Believe." After a difficult Tschalkowsky number by the band, Dick Gabler, trombone soloist, was presented in "Nola" and "Sophisticated Lady" as an encore. "Persian Market Place" by Kotelbey was the closing number of the first section.

After a short intermission, the second half of the program was presented which was devoted to the more popular selections, after the first portion had been devoted to the classical and semi-classical.

Both the "Children's March" by Goldman and the "Hey Rubie" selections were medleys of school-day and well-known pastoral folk songs and were well received, and then Fred Martin stopped the show. After he presented "Old Faithful" on his piano accordion, he was forced to continue with "I Had a School Teacher," and "Round-up Time in Texas."

The "Tiger Rag" specially was presented with its special dedication, and Chief Yowlache then demonstrated his superb artistry and singing ability on David Guion's "Home on the Range," and was forced to return and sing "Headin' For the Last Round-Up," and "Wagon Wheel."

"The Whistling Farmer Boy" a novelty number that has been recorded by the band was next presented and brought well-earned applause as it featured various members of the ensemble.

The program was brought to a close by Billy Morrow's rendition of "Cossack Revels" by Tschalkoff on the xylophone, and he returned with "Good Bye Blues" as an encore. "The Old Gray Mare" signature melody of the band was the grand finale.

Members of the band were entertained Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hill, and they left immediately after Saturday's performance for Abilene.

## DOCTORS

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The case will be the second such case tried under the 1934 statute making it a federal offense to kill a government agent while in line of duty. It was the first trial, John Paul Chase, companion of "Baby Face" Nelson, was convicted March 25 at Chicago and given life imprisonment for the slaying of Inspector Samual P. Cowley of the department of justice.

## WIFE IS HELD AS HUSBAND DIES FROM BEATING BY HAMMER

### SECOND MURDER CHARGE IN HISTORY GLASSCOCK COUN- TY TO BE FILED

BIG SPRING, Texas, May 20.—(AP)—Mark A. Sarver, 45, who was beaten over the head yesterday with a hammer, died in a hospital here today.

Sheriff George Ratliff said a murder charge, the second in the history of Glasscock county, would be filed later in the day.

Sarver's wife was arrested by the sheriff shortly after the beating, which occurred at the Sarver home on an oil lease 17 miles southwest of here.

Sheriff Ratliff said neighbors found two of the Sarvers' children trying to wrest a hammer from Mrs. Sarver's hands after the beating. The neighbors helped disarm the woman.

John Sarver, 12 one of the children, was struck but not seriously injured as he tried to take the hammer from his mother, with the help of his sister, Leona, 19.

Their father never regained consciousness.

## NEW SUPERINTENDENT ODD FELLOWS HOME ASSUMES HIS DUTIES

C. B. Couch of Vernon, newly elected superintendent of the I. O. O. F. Home here, assumed his duties Monday at noon. C. P. Masters, Commerce, chairman of the I. O. O. F. Home board, was present to assist in checking Mr. Couch into his office.

Mrs. Couch will serve as matron of the Home.

Mr. Couch said that it was his intention to become a citizen of Corsicana in the fullest sense. He stated that he was confident that he would receive the continued cooperation of both the citizens of the city and the members of the Odd Fellows lodge that had been accorded his predecessors here.

An invitation was extended to the public to visit the Home and get acquainted with him and his family.

J. D. Sachse has been acting superintendent since the death of Ross Harris, superintendent in January, of this year.

## HOMES ENTERED BY PROWLERS; MONEY IS TAKEN FROM POCKETS

City officers were seeking some trace Monday of a prowler who entered two Corsicana homes Saturday night and Sunday morning and rifled the pockets of the trousers of the men of the household, securing about \$10 in money but molesting no one else.

The burglars were seen in the 700 block of Broadway avenue and rifled two pairs of trousers and secured \$5 or \$6 and then proceeded to drink quantities of milk which he found in the refrigerator. He also entered the home of Barry Frost on North Twelfth street and secured about \$8 there. He entered this house by raising a window and removing a chair that had been propped against the door.

Night Patrolman Allen York arrested two negroes early Sunday morning on West Thirteenth Avenue who had a can containing about thirty pounds of lard in their automobile. One of the negroes was exonerated and released and the other transferred to county authorities Sunday. The lard was reported stolen from a resident of the Oak Valley community.

Night Captain Dave Seaton recovered a quantity of bedding and other articles stolen recently from the residence of R. B. Hartley in the Green Flat community Saturday night.

## CONVICTS

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Young Saunders, who was driving his brother's automobile, was stopped by the fugitive pair near the Huntsville city limits as he went to the home of a negro maid. The negro woman said she saw Saunders and two men pass in a car. He shouted:

"I'll be back."

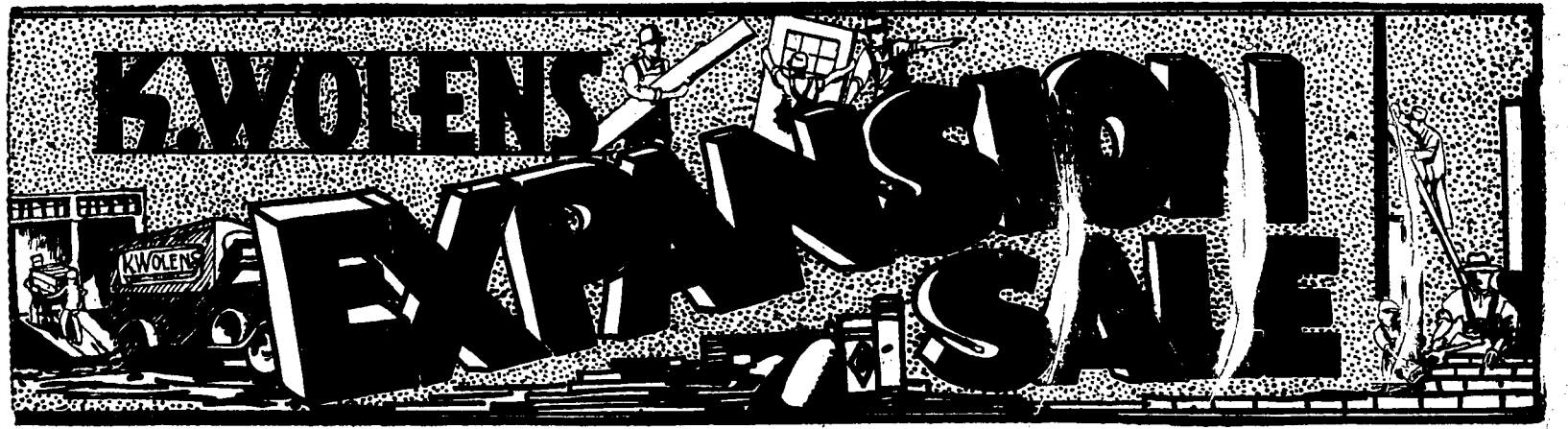
The automobile was traced to Crockett where a gasoline station proprietor reported the men obtained gasoline and fled without paying. A squad of officers started in pursuit.

The convict uniforms were found on a highway near here.

GO! Meet Postponed.

TERRELL, May 20.—(AP)—The Texas Professional Golfers Association pro-amateur sweepstakes schedule here today has been indefinitely postponed because torrential rains have made the Terrell Country Club course unplayable.

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